

Big issues plebiscite is go for January 13

St. Albert residents will get their chance January 13 to vote yes or no to the town's proposed annexation and also a money bylaw authorizing St. Albert to borrow \$2.9 million for its \$5.3 million major recreation facility.

They will be able to cast their votes from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. on the day in question.

At a special meeting last Monday night council also went along with a 1,100

signature petition headed by St. Albert resident Mr. C. D. Bourbonnais that the vote be held on the recreation complex money bylaw.

There was no move from council to give St. Albert residents the chance to register their vote on proposed city status which could materialize by the end of 1976. St. Albert hopes to get \$4 million in grants for roads by obtaining city status.

Council hedged a little on

the date for the money bylaw - annexation vote at first but finally decided on the January 13th date.

A number of other points came up during the lengthy discussion on the vote, one that St. Albert residents would be getting a brochure from the town on facts and figures pertaining to the recreation complex, though that was only adopted by council in principle.

Councillor Rod Thronson made an attempt to make sure that besides the January 13th plebiscite, there should be a referendum indicating a choice for a centralized/decentralized recreation facility for St. Albert.

But Coun. Thronson's motion for this was roundly defeated by his fellow councillors with his contrary vote being requested to go into the history books.

Councillor Margaret Smith pointed out that it was difficult to support such a split for the complex since by definition it was multi-purpose and with a 25 per cent cultural component.

Just after Coun. Thronson's motion on the referendum was defeated, Coun. Barry Breadner decided that council must put the brakes on spending more money on design costs for the complex.

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M.L.A. has reservations on city status

Following the mayor's announcement over CBC Monday morning that St. Albert would have city status by the end of the month, the Gazette asked MLA Ernie Jamison for his reaction.

"I have looked at the pros and cons previously," said Mr. Jamison, "and was not satisfied that city status would be financially beneficial. Certainly not, in my opinion, to the tune of four million dollars annually, if that is in fact how the mayor's announcement over CBC is to be interpreted."

The MLA said he was presently looking into the matter in greater detail.

"But it appears to me the mayor may be on very weak ground when he talks about four million dollar benefits as far as provincial road assistance to a city as compared to an urban area town.

Regarding the five-year policy programs to 1980 on public transportation, St. Albert is already in the provincial budget for \$130,000 per year, plus 50% or \$3 per person, whichever is the lesser, to offset annual operating deficits.

The mayor may have other reasons for wanting city status, not yet disclosed, said Mr. Jamison. "But in view of



ICE ON THE STURGEON River proved a little too thin for this tractor unit last week as crews extricated it using ropes and pulley near the road bridge.

Town ravine slated for development

Two outline design briefs - one on the East Industrial Area and the other on the proposed Ball Park Estate in St. Albert should soon be available to town residents.

At its committee of the whole meeting last Monday night council carried motions which would give the briefs public attention by making them available in the town library.

Regarding the brief on the East Industrial Area, Councillor Barry Breadner said that he was against turning town boundary roads into major access arteries. However Mayor Dick Plain pointed out that in light of studies on access to the area, he did not feel there would be an intolerable strain on people who lived - say - on Hebert Road.

Main point of contention on the proposed Ball Park Estate design brief was the alignment next to the ravine for a rapid transit system.

The Ball Park Estate, which is divided into sectors for highway commercial development, experimental housing, a neighbourhood shopping centre, office industrial development and

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Mayor expresses horror at St. Albert youth problem

A sense of urgency crept into discussions on a community youth worker last Monday night at St. Albert town council when Mayor Dick Plain told council he had seen a crowd of about 150 youths recently "cavorting in the bushes" near the St. Albert Drive Inn "armed" with alcoholic beverages.

The committee of the whole was listening to a presentation from Jack Patterson which went into depth on the need for a youth worker in the community.

Earlier Councillor Myrna Fyfe had drawn council's attention to the fact there had been much vandalism in St. Albert over the past year and later Mayor Plain chipped in with what he termed an illustration of the magnitude of St. Albert's youth problem.

He described the incident where the youths were cavorting in the Drive Inn

area, flaunting their alcoholic drinks in front of the RCMP who were trying to cope with an impossible situation.

Mayor Plain said that St. Albert could not foot around

any longer with its youth problem and it had to be directly tackled. The problems were real and the item had to have the highest

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First pleased, then incredulous

In an interview last Friday, (following receipt of replies to questions on the Rec. Complex), Mr. Roger Iddings said that he was pleased with the mayor's reply to his second question, which said that shut down costs to October 8th amount to \$36,472.

Mr. Iddings went on to say that he hoped the community could now start again from square one to plan recreation facilities with considerably

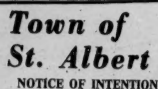
more contribution from organizations, school boards, service clubs and individuals, as to the best use of the government grant (\$100 per capita) to provide the most facilities for the least town borrowing.

As canvassers for the petition against the money bylaw made calls in each area of St. Albert, said Mr. Iddings, they found many people felt that only town

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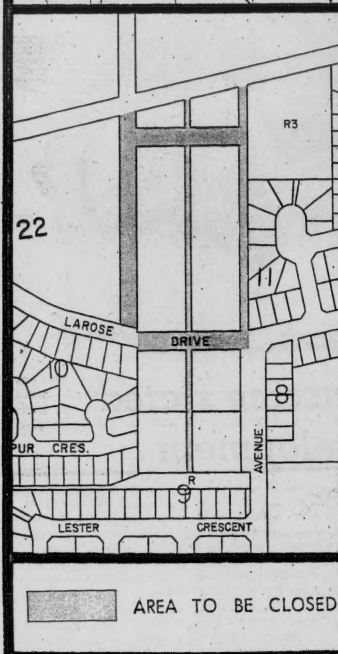


Valerie Henliuk, Susan Griffith, her brothers Timmy and Dwayne, Chet Nalewajek, Cam Hile and his brother Brent, Randy Kinney and Alan Bissonnette having a ball on Robert Rundle hill last Sunday on a huge inflated tire. They all said they liked going down on the tire because it can hold so many of them and still slide pretty fast.



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Plans nearly final for new school

The St. Albert Catholic School District #3 held its regular board meeting on Monday, December 1st. Mrs Sylvia Walsh, speaking for the building committee, informed the board that Mr. G. Cherenko, architect, will soon have the finalized plans of the proposed Lacombe Park school available. By December 22nd, an indication of the price would also be known. The trustees agreed to hold their next regular board meeting on December 22nd.

SCHOOL NAMES COMPETITION

Superintendent Dr. W. Zielski reported on the progress of the school names competition. To date, seven submissions had been received. It was decided to extend the final entry date until December 31st in view of the postal strike. Selection will take place after January 15th, 1976.

HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS PRODUCE VIDEO TAPE

Mr. P. Chalifoux, Mr. H. Chugg and Mr. P. Glenn, all teachers from St. Albert High School, attended the meeting to present a 40

minute video tape of St. Albert High students planning and visiting the area of the Riel Rebellion. The filming opened in a social studies 10 classroom where students were proposing the idea of visiting the area instead of just reading about it.

The students visited Duck Lake, Botoche Church (used by Louis Riel and his followers), the Fort at North Battleford, and Cut Knife which was the Poundmaker Reserve.

After viewing the tape, the trustees extended their congratulations to the students and staff for their professionalism.

JOINT USE

Trustee Peter Freeman

informed the board about "Rules Governing School Facilities" for Joint Use purposes for a six month period, at the end of which, the rules would be reviewed. The motion was carried. These rules are a duplication of District No. 6 rules and they deal with smoking and alcohol policies, general security of buildings, and designated area use.

L.I.P. GRANT

Superintendent Zielski informed the board that the district had been successful in obtaining a LIP grant of \$9,000 for book processing, central shipping and receiving.

youth problem

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Margaret Smith that the youth worker proposal go to budget studies. She had said that she was aware that 50 per cent of St. Albert was "young" but suggested that St. Albert make a practice that major expenditures be part of the town's budget considerations.

Councillor Myrna Fyfe moved that the town approve

the new position and have it advertised as it had been documented enough.

Later Coun. Smith suggested that the town might fund the proposal 100 per cent while still trying to get provincial government support.

Councillor Frank Lukay was in sympathy with the request for a youth worker, but felt that hiring one would only be "scratching the surface." He felt that parents were the best youth workers and that the youth worker might draw kids away from their families.

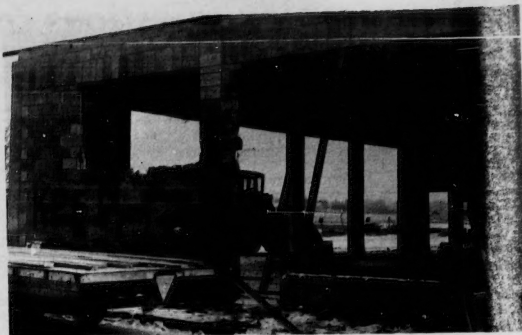
Mr. Patterson said that the community had to start somewhere (in dealing with the youth problem).

Although Councillor Breadder hinted that the town's budget was going to be tight next year, council carried a motion 4-3 which will see the youth worker proposal coming up at the first council meeting in January.

Councillor Rod Thronson said that even if the provincial government did not fund St. Albert's proposal for the youth worker up to 80 per cent, the matter was still a priority.

He stated that "some kids have wanted some kind of help." They had taken the short end of the stick, he added, emphasizing that St. Albert was lucky it did not have more of the trouble the mayor had alluded to.

He could not support a referral motion by Coun.



Demolition started Nov. 27th on the old public works building at Muir Drive and St. Albert Trail. A new Boston Pizzeria is going to be built on the two lots purchased from the town and the two adjacent lots Marwan Masria owned.



Marj Davis, left, past-president of Cormach Centre's Parent-Group Committee, was presented 55 "Happy Face" cushions by Clara Matear, chairman of St. Albert Kinetics service committee; Diana Speake, co-chairman and Linda Stewart, president. Mrs. Davis accepted the handmade cushions on behalf of Cormach Centre's staff and multi-handicapped children Tuesday, December 2 at St. Albert Inn.

NOTICE

Gazette advertisers and readers are requested to take note that the Christmas issue requires an earlier deadline for news and advertising copy. The paper will be delivered in St. Albert on Monday, December 22nd. Parents of paper carriers are also asked to keep this in mind. Deadline for ads and news will be Friday noon, December 19th. Thank you for your co-operation.

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Winners of the prizes at the Legion Auxiliary tea and bazaar on November 30th were Joan Lewis of 31 Glenwood - the table centre-piece; Carol Corney of 8607 - 157 Street - the food hamper and Ed Walker of Fort Saskatchewan, the lawn ornament. Draws were made by Mrs. Alice Kemps, president of the Senior Citizens Club. An excellent turnout made the event a huge success.



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Rèc complex questions answered

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Iddings:

This is in reply to your letter dated November 10, 1975 addressed to The Mayor and Council Members, concerning the proposed multi-purpose recreation complex to be located on the St. Albert Trail between McKenney and St. Vital Avenues. To facilitate an instant understanding as to the specific questions being replied to, your questions are reproduced below with the appropriate reply immediately following.

1. Is the cost of \$5.3 million a firm price?
Answer: This is a firm estimate prepared by the Construction Manager in consultation with the Architect based on quotations received on over 40 separate components of the total construction. These estimates were reviewed in detail by the Construction Management Committee.

2. If the recreation complex is stopped at this time, what are the costs of architects to date?

Answer: The total fees and charges paid to October 8, 1975 to the Architect amount to \$36,472.53 plus any additional costs which have since been incurred within the terms of the Architect's Agreement.

3. What is the total cost of architects and engineering fees?

Answer: The architects' and engineers' fees are \$286,500.00, plus out-of-pocket expenses such as travel, living, telephone and printing costs.

4. Does the Town have approval from the Department of Highways for highway access and egress to the site?

Answer: The approval of the Department of Highways (now Transportation) is not required and there is no egress or access to or from Highway No. 2.

5. Is a road widening of the highway or a service road required for this complex?

Answer: A study entitled "Proposed Recreation Centre - Impact on Transportation System" reports that a large amount of traffic will be generated only when a special event is held in the arena or a swimming event, and that during normal times the trip generation by the complex will be small. No road widening or service road is necessary.

6. If a roadway widening or service road is required, is it included in the \$5.3 million dollars or if not, who pays for it and how much will it cost?

Answer: Road widening and service road not required.

7. Are traffic lights required at the main highway intersections to this complex and if so, are they included in the \$5.3 million dollars or if not, how much will they cost?

Answer: Traffic movements occasioned by the complex are not considered sufficient in themselves to warrant traffic signalization.

8. Will a pedestrian overpass across the highway be required and if it is, how much will it cost, who will pay for it? Is it included in the \$5.3 million dollars?

Answer: This is a matter related to the possible development of a shopping centre opposite the complex. Details concerning a pedestrian overpass and other matters related to traffic will be detailed in any agreement reached, covering conditions governing construction of a shopping centre.

9. With the increased traffic to the recreation complex and shopping centre, will a widening of the river bridge be required. If so, is it included in the \$5.3 million dollars and if not, how much will it cost and who pays for it?

Answer: It is not contemplated that widening of the existing four lane bridge over the Sturgeon River on Highway 2 will be made necessary, even if both the shopping centre and complex existed.

10. Is the site of the recreation complex fully serviced? Is it necessary to extend any sanitary or storm sewers to this site? If this is required, is it cost in the \$5.3 million dollars and, if not, how much will it cost and who pays for it?

Answer: The cost of providing all utilities on site servicing the complex is included in the \$5.3 million. The Town's lines will bring utilities to the property line. Cost of sewer

and water connections is \$6,500 to the home out of utility rates and \$6,150 for storm drainage.

11. Are any pedestrian crossings planned for crossing the Sturgeon River to gain access to this site? If extensions are required, is their cost included in the \$5.3 million dollars and, if not, how much will they cost and who pays for it?

Answer: Specifically related to the complex, no. Inter-related to a shopping centre and potential park site, yes. Cost sharing would be detailed in a shopping centre development agreement.

12. Are all sidewalk and curb extensions completed to the site? If they aren't, are they included in the \$5.3 million dollars and, if not, how much will they cost and who pays for it?

Answer: Curb and gutter strip costs are included in the total cost of the project. Sidewalks are on site to the building from McKenney and St. Vital and included in project cost of \$5.3 million.

13. What is the ratio of building area to parking area and how many parking stalls are there for every 1,000 square feet of building?

Answer: Building coverage is 12.4% of total site and there are 10 parking spaces per 1,000 square feet of building.

14. How are Batoni Bowlen chosen as project managers?

Answer: An advertisement was placed in the Edmonton Journal. A short list was developed and interviews held with three firms. The interviewing committee made a report to Council and a Council resolution was passed appointing Mr. N. Driedger of Batoni Bowlen as construction manager.

15. What is Batoni Bowlen's fee?
Answer: The Construction Manager's fee is \$125,000.00 plus authorized on-site costs including superintendent's salary and such matters as advertising for public tender and long distance telephone calls.

16. What has the sale of reserve land to Carina in the east end of town got to do with a recreation complex which is located a mile and a half away?

Answer: Simply that surplus funds from sale proceeds are used to offset the capital cost of the complex. The reserve parcel in Forest Lawn was temporarily established in 1972 as a result of a plot. Part of the sale proceeds acquired park acreage in Braeside as originally intended and the balance used to benefit the community generally.

17. It has been stated that the cost of this complex will cost the taxpayer 3.88 mills per year. It would appear that the Town has made no allowance for operating this complex and it is my understanding that if the complex is operated at 100% capacity, it will suffer an operating loss of a minimum of \$124,000.00 per year. Would it be fair to say that our mill increase per year will not be 3.88 mills as stated, but more like 5.6 mills?

Answer: An operating budget has been prepared which predicted an annual operating deficit of \$120,000.00. Add to that the annual land lease payment of \$24,000.00 for a period of 25 years covering a 50 year lease renewable for an additional 25 years for \$1.00. The resulting mill rates and dollar amounts were set out at a televised Council meeting, are displayed on a display board in the Grandin Shopper's Mall and were set out in the Mayor's Column appearing in the Gazette following the Council meeting.

18. Based on Question #17, wouldn't it be fair to say that the people of St. Albert are being misled by the Mayor and Council and that "Pretty Good Club" will not cost \$48 per year per household, but considerably more?

Answer: The total estimated capital and operating costs amount to \$47.76 per year on the average residential assessment. These figures were placed before the public and it is my understanding that it has never been made to mislead the public as to the costs associated with the complex.

19. I have noticed that the Town has been borrowing money for various other projects and has greatly increased the town staff during the past years. With this additional borrowing and staff increase, can the Town give me a reasonable estimate as to what this will mean in increased mill rate for the coming year?

Answer: The net effect upon taxes for annual repayment of all borrowings undertaken in 1975 for repayment in subsequent years is less than one mill. Provincial funding and utility rates account for the remainder. The number of permanent Town employees including all departments has increased over the one year period from October, 1974 to October, 1975 by nine employees, which is a 7.9% increase.

20. Since we don't know the end price of this complex, how will the town raise additional funds to cover any cost in over-run of construction?

Answer: The estimated end price is \$5.3 million or less. The greatest concern is that commencement delays which extend the completion date beyond September, 1977 will cause considerable increases in costs above that amount due to inflation.

In conclusion, we welcome the opportunity to reply to the questions you have raised, particularly in view of the many questions seemingly arising out of misconceptions and a lack of information which on many occasions has been made public. There is ample evidence to support the substance of the answers given and I would welcome the opportunity presenting all or any of this information to you at a meeting of your convenience.

Please be advised that council has at no time indicated that they intend to raise taxes by the application of 5.97 mills estimated to offset operating and capital costs of the recreation complex. Such a decision must wait the budgetary priorities as they are determined each year depending upon the amount and availability of revenues from all sources.

If I or council can be of further service, please let the undersigned know.

ROBERT L. BYRON,
ADMINISTRATOR.

Disappointed

I am very upset to say the least, at the way the members of the Arts and Crafts Guild conducted their sale this year.

My husband and myself paid to get in to the preview and decided on several items we would like to purchase.

We waited at the head of the line outside the door for an hour feeling quite sure we would be able to get the items we had chosen.

We felt very cheated to be first in the door and find the wall hanging we had wanted, gone from the display and one of the members remov-

ing more as the people were pouring in.

Obviously the members were getting first choice while their buyers were standing out in the cold.

Why, I ask, were these items not taken down before the preview. From conversation we heard in the crowd this happened to several others as well.

Call this deceiving the public, or what ever you like, it was very disappointing and unfair.

Betty Cartwright,
Greenfield Estates.

LUKE 21:20

And when you shall see Jerusalem compassed with armies, then know that the desolation thereof is nigh.

OTTAWA and Small Business



Build up domestic firms

By KENNETH McDONALD

Ottawa's Foreign Investment Review Agency (FIRA) is only the latest in a series of devices which hide the absence of a Canadian industrial policy. With powers to prohibit foreign takeovers, FIRA is fussing about the stable door long after the horse has bolted. Until we determine the goal, how can we decide how to get there? What is needed is a Canadian ownership policy that will turn around the ratio of 60 per cent foreign ownership and 40 per cent Canadian ownership to a 60-40 ratio in Canada's favor.

FIRA is a negative response. It creates nothing. The problem is not too much foreign ownership but too little Canadian ownership. Canada, which leads the world in its percentage of foreign-owned industry, has also - not unexpectedly - the highest deficit per capita in fully-manufactured goods.

Canada's foreign-owned branch plants are too often confined to metal stamping and assembly. Important decisions about capital investments, research and development and exports are made outside Canada - and the quality jobs, as a result, are denied our highly educated young people.

Manufacturing jobs are moving south of the border. Not only are wage costs lower in the U.S. but manufacturers operating in both countries find a more willing labor force there.

Jobs in both Canada and the United States also are moving to low-wage countries as multinational corporations juggle their assets to escape western labour laws and tax rates. Governments take up some of the slack with growing bureaucracies in the capital cities.

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Too many of Canada's young people are merely kept off the streets in schools which fail to prepare them for productive work. Too many of them graduate to UIC, to welfare or to government jobs. They, too, need the stimulus of opportunity to participate in the task of restructuring Canadian industry.

It won't come easily. Nothing worthwhile ever does. But unless we decide now to develop stronger domestic firms that can compete in local and international markets, we will become ungovernable. The strains of continuing inflation and high unemployment will tear the fabric of our society apart.

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Transportation concepts outlined at meeting

Few people attend

The trials and tribulations of the St. Albert commuter were considered at a meeting of the Steering Committee on Transportation at the Club Mocombo on Wednesday evening. The meeting, which was for the purpose of discussing informally the preliminary conceptual studies on transportation, was not that well attended. Of the 37 people present, only 23 were members of the public who had decided to attend in spite of the blustery night outside. The remaining 14 were either council members or resource personnel.

Mr. Don Corrigan, engineer from the Town of St. Albert, chaired the meeting and he introduced the subject by giving a brief resume of the transit and land use studies and analyses which had begun in the summer of 1974 up to the present time. He also introduced the members of the steering committee which included Councillors Frank Lukay and Rod Thronson, several members of the town staff, representatives of the province and the City of Edmonton, and some consultants. Mr. Corrigan stressed that ideas and concepts evolved so far are not final and could change on completion of further studies.

LAND USE CONCEPTS

Town planner Wayne Gordon followed giving three alternative land use concepts for the future development of St. Albert. The projected land use will have an important effect on any road

construction or transit system. Aided by charts, Mr. Gordon explained that basically the first alternative assumes the bulk of future growth to be in the southeast section of the town adjoining Braeside, Forest Lawn and Akinsdale. The second alternative projected development fairly evenly spread in all areas of the town and the third laid emphasis on development in the northwest section.

These concepts were projected over the near future (within a five year period) and the intermediate future (15 years). The alternatives were subject to the town being successful in acquiring industrial sites and industry to go with them. The prospect remained that the town might not significantly alter the balance between residential and industrial development and would remain essentially a dormitory town.

ROAD IMPROVEMENTS

The commuter who patiently waits to turn left from Hebert Road onto the St. Albert Trail in the morning and the commuter wishing to turn left from the Trail onto McKenney Avenue in the evening were considered, among others, during this portion of the meeting. That the one main corridor from St. Albert to Edmonton is barely adequate for existing needs was made quite apparent. Mr. Ken Foster from L. G. Grimble and Associates described several short term improvements

which could be started as early as next year and some intermediate range alternatives.

The short term measures included improving existing alternate routes into Edmonton (156 St. and 170 St.), widening Hebert Road, and improving the intersection at Hebert and the St. Albert Trail.

Over a five year period the prospect of another bridge across the Sturgeon River was considered a possibility to take the strain off the highway and McKenney. The intermediate term prospects were dependent on the eventual land use concept adopted by the town. Mr. Foster said that increased bus ridership would reduce the demand on a road system but the demands by car traffic will still be for approximately two and a half times the number of traffic lanes required today.

A major by-pass in a north-south direction could go around the town on either the west or the east side depending on the location of a major industrial site. A westerly location for the by-pass would, however, be disadvantaged to some extent by Big Lake. Improved road systems connecting the subdivisions within the town as well as increased traffic lanes into Edmonton were suggested.

TRANSIT SERVICES

Bus riders using the transit system to commute to Edmonton outnumber those using it for local transportation by a ratio of nine to one. And, of the commuting public generally, bus riders account for only six percent of commuters to Edmonton. The others are mostly car drivers and the balance are car passengers. The largest group of bus riders are females in the 29-34 age group who live in single family dwellings.

These and other statistics were revealed in an attitude survey which was conducted

on bus ridership last summer.

Mr. Wally Atkinson of L. G. Grimble and Associates covered several possibilities for transit services to tie in generally with the transportation concepts. He explained the difficulties of busing created by peak travel periods and he touched on the staggering operational costs necessary for running a transit system. Various ideas for a transit system in the town and their pros and cons were suggested. These included a dial-a-bus service, a feeder system for commuters something like the present system, and transit services for local employment and shopping purposes.

Mr. Atkinson also covered some of the hardware necessary to maintain a transit system: garage and workshops, transfer points, bus shelters, bus lanes, devices for triggering traffic lights to allow buses priority access and, of course, buses themselves. The buses required would depend on their projected usage - extra large multi-seat commuter buses for no-standing rides into Edmonton and much smaller buses for local trips which would be able to navigate residential streets.

QUESTION PERIOD

Several questions were raised during the informal question and answer period. The answers, like the preceding presentations, were generally speculative.

A questioner asked whether Edmonton's rapid transit system would likely reach St. Albert. An Edmonton representative conceded that this was a possibility but the city priority is an expansion in a southerly and south-eastern direction and rapid transit would most likely serve that area. In the north, Castle Downs might possibly attract rapid transit.

The panel received a couple of questions relating to commuting problems which lie within the City of

Edmonton limits. The intersection at 137th Avenue and the traffic circles at 125th Avenue and 118th Avenue were given as examples of problems or hazards. The city spokesman indicated that the city is faced with access problems from several directions and that no priority exists for the access from St. Albert. He quoted figures of accidents which occurred this year at the two traffic circles which indicated a very high frequency of accidents.

He mentioned that improvements may be made to 125th Avenue which might affect

the traffic circle.

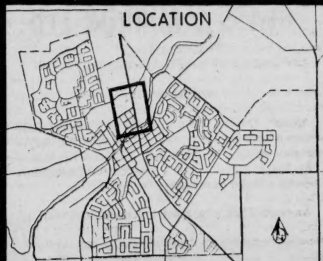
Several questions were posed relating to the surveys which had been taken and the manner in which they had been taken. Councillor Broadner felt that a survey on traffic taken in July would not take into account commuters whose usual destination is the University of Alberta because of summer vacations. A panel member said that allowances had been made for people in this category.

The panel did not appear to favour park-and-ride as a potential transit service.



Town of St. Albert

Please be advised that the Council of the Town of St. Albert proposes to pass Bylaw 37/75 being a bylaw to rezone Lots 2 to 7 inclusive, Block 7A, Plan 3159 K.S. as shown on the attached map from Highway Commercial (C-3) to Central Business Commercial (C-1).



FROM 'C3' TO 'C1'

The proposed Bylaw No. 37/75 may be examined between the hours of 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. weekdays at the Office of the Municipal Secretary in the Town Hall, St. Albert.

A public hearing on the proposed bylaw will be held in the Council Chambers, Town Hall Annex on Monday, January 5, 1976 at 7:45 p.m.

Written representations concerning the manner in which any provision of the proposed bylaw may affect him will be received by the Municipal Secretary until 12 noon on Friday, January 2, 1976. Persons wishing to make oral representation may do so by appearing at the public hearing.

ROBERT L. BYRON
MUNICIPAL SECRETARY

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Dec. 26 [Fri.] 1:30 - 3:30	Dec. 31 [Wed.] 1:00 - 2:30
Dec. 27 [Sat.] 2:30 - 4:00	Jan. 1 [Fri.] 2:45 - 4:15
Dec. 28 [Sun.] 1:00 - 2:30	Jan. 3 [Sat.] 2:30 - 4:00
Dec. 29 [Mon.] 12:45 - 2:15	Jan. 4 [Sun.] 1:00 - 2:30

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NOTE: THE ST. ALBERT ARENA AND ALL OUTDOOR RINKS WILL BE CLOSED DECEMBER 25 AND JANUARY 1st.

CORRECTION

The Recreation Report from the St. Albert Recreation Department inadvertently had a wrong telephone

number for people interested in the St. Albert Pioneer Camping Club. Interested residents should call 459-6105.



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Crafts sale draws packed house

On Sunday the annual sale of the Arts and Crafts Guild went off extremely well. The upstairs part of the Community Hall was used to display the pottery, some paintings and leather work, while the downstairs area was filled with the cleaner and neater crafts such as jewellery, sewing, macrame and weaving. The whole building was crammed with goods and people, and almost half the items were sold within the first half hour of the sale.

This year the Guild tried something new: The Preview. The sales committee were a little sceptical about the number of people who would turn out just to see what was offered without being able to buy. However it turned out to be so popular that by the time the Preview ended, an hour before the sale started, there were a large number of people still inside. The sales committee were worried about the fire

hazard engendered by these people that an unpopular decision had to be made and everyone was asked to leave. We apologize for the inconvenience this caused. The sales committee would appreciate any comments from people attending either or both the Preview and sale to improve matters for next year. Please write to Box 5, St. Albert.

Anyone who was disappointed that they did not manage to purchase a particular item they liked could perhaps have the craftsman make something similar. Linda has the names and phone numbers of the artists and craftsmen outside of the Guild who participated, and you could phone her at 973-3516.

The special prizes for the door prizes were the 33rd and the 125th people to pass through the door to the Preview. Mr. and Mrs. Rokosh were the first winners and received a large casserole

dish. The 125th person to enter was Mrs. Jeanne Maloney who was given a woven doll. She has it in mind to give it to one of her grand-daughters. They were all delighted winners.

The Arts and Crafts Guild hope that those of you who came to the sale got a few of those special Christmas presents, or perhaps you splashed

out and treated yourselves! No matter, it was a tremendous success. The Guild will survive another year thanks to the people of St. Albert. Many thanks also to all those people who brought their work for sale and those Guild members who came to help.

A Merry Christmas everyone!



Some members of the Arts and Crafts Guild are cleaning up the upstairs part of the Community Hall where pottery, paintings and leather work were almost sold out during the Guild's annual sale last Sunday. The sale attracted so many people, a line-up stretched about half-a-block outside the hall before the sale started.

Guests enjoy Brownie ceremony

The 2nd St. Albert Brownie Pack held their enrollment night on December 1st at Leo Nickerson School. Forty-five guests watched as the girls went through their special ceremony. The evening's program included a skit by the senior girls and a sing-song, followed by an informal coffee and mother's meeting.

Special presentations were

made by Joyce Smith, district commissioner, which included first year service stars to Maryse Journoud, Susan McKenzie and Leslie Winter. A five year service star was presented to Tawny Owl, Vickie Bjorkquist and Shirley Watson was enrolled as the Pack's Brown Owl.

The new Brownies are all eager to carry out their motto - 'Lend a Hand.'



These 15 Brownies moved up from Tweenies: Tracey Watson, top left, Maryse Journoud, Wendy Filer, Linda Papp (Packie), Carol Hodgins and Denise Ledi. Patti Winger is at left centre row, with Shauna Black, Tiffany Watson, Kim Bjorkquist, Karen Adolph, Stacey Fisher and Tracey King. In the front row are Jill Lytwyn, left, Joanne Curial, Leslie Winter, Kim Hanberg, Linda Kowalshyn and Susan Bond.



Joyce Smith, District Commissioner at left, with Brownie leaders Vickie Bjorkquist, Linda Hanberg and Shirley Watson.

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Inter Club to press for ambulance service

An ambulance service for St. Albert was rated as a major concern of the St. Albert Interclub Council at their meeting December 7th,

the second meeting under the new executive. The Women's Institute will draft a letter for approval of Interclub, which will then be

forwarded to town council.

At present Interclub comprises the Kinsmen Club, both Lions Clubs, the Progress Club, the W.I., St.

Albert Branch of the Royal Canadian Legion and the Chamber of Commerce. All but the Chamber were represented at the December

meeting, and all representatives agreed that an ambulance service was a definite need for the town.

An attempt will be made to

gain representation on Interclub from all service clubs and lodges and other interested groups in the town. A main objective of Interclub is to co-ordinate the activities in such a way that one club project does not interfere with that of another club, particularly in the fund-raising area. It is felt that there is much to be done for the community by the various clubs and all will be invited to join so that Interclub can help schedule events and drives more efficiently.

The club representatives at the meeting were also asked to bring suggestions from their organizations on the rodeo, and Interclub would also appreciate ideas from the general public which could enhance this big annual event commemorating the founding of our town.

The Lions noted that they will again be sponsoring an Irish Festival around St. Patrick's Day, featuring the Carleton Show Band.

Interclub executive members are: Richard Tougas, president (Progress Club); Bob Bjorkquist, sec. treas. (Kinsmen Club); W.I. Res. Marilyn Henry, Legion Pres. Reg. Bremner, Lions Pres. fast. Gene Scantland, Lion Supper Club, Jim Rutherford and Chamber of Commerce Rep. Gary Hodgins.

Interclub meets on the second Sunday of each month.

New adult courses look interesting

The Further Education Council of St. Albert, will be offering some new and interesting courses commencing January, 1976.

In addition to academic and vocational courses such as English 30, Math 30,

Typing 20 and 30, a new course will be introduced this year - "Ladies and Limousines." This course is designed to provide the ladies with a working knowledge of the automobile. Also offered with ladies in mind is

"Womens' Rights," not something opposed to men's rights, but a consideration of women's social and legal status in Canada.

"How to live with teenagers and like it," could well be the course that many St.

Albert parents would appreciate. The object of this course is to provide parents with a theoretical and practical understanding of why teenagers are the way they are.

Bachelors are another gr-

oup who have been catered for in this season's offerings. A course in "Bachelor Survival" will commence on January 29th. This course focuses on the basics of cookery and students will learn everything from soup to souffles.

A general interest course which many of us might find advantageous is "Learning to live metric." This course is due to start in March and it introduces the new measurement system and its vocabulary.

In these days of inflationary prices and diminishing bank balances, "Consumer Education" is becoming a must. This course focuses on budgeting and buying, with particular consideration given to normal family and household purchasing.

For those members of the community who are interested in government, a course which outlines the structures and operations of local, provincial and federal governments will commence in March.

These and many more courses offered and full details will appear in the Gazette in early January.

New Sturgeon Health Unit set to go

Construction could be starting soon on a new Sturgeon Health Unit.

That was the word from town hall last Friday when a town official was asked about the \$691,421 development slated for the corner of Tache Street and Sir Winston Churchill Avenue.

Town Administrator Bob

Byron said that construction could be almost immediate and that the town was on the verge of signing a contract for the health unit with Harsim Construction of St. Albert.

A spokesman for the Sturgeon Health Unit pointed out that the new facility will be a boon as the present Sturgeon

Health Unit is spread out between 12A and 14 Perron Street. In the new building, the offices of the medical officer of health and the public health officer will be under one roof and on one floor with the medical service area.

These services include well baby and immunization

clinic facilities, a pre-school screening clinic, school, dental and mental health services, adult immunization, sanitation and health planning for the aged.

Need for the new facility was spotlighted when the Town of St. Albert was made aware of the space problems at the Perron Street offices.

St. Albert was also in favour of the new Tache Street site because of its nearness to the present downtown area. Mr. Byron said.

Talks with the provincial government which gave its approval for funding the new health unit have seen the costs reduced from \$761,000 to \$691,421 with a corresponding modification in building design.

also a valuable experience for the students, and the program was taped at the school last Wednesday evening.

When the date for showing the film is set, it will be announced. Meanwhile it will be fun to watch the Community Christmas Card take shape on the Mall.

WI Arranging community card

The St. Albert Women's Institute will be setting up a Community Christmas Card later this week in Grandin Shoppers Mall. Interested residents are invited to sign the card in exchange for a small donation of whatever sum they choose, and the funds raised in this way will assist the WI with their various community projects.

Members will be on hand, particularly in the evenings, or donations may be left at Robinson's Pet Shop on the Mall.

The WI gals were invited to do a 28 minute show for Capital Cable in Edmonton

on the history of their branch, leading up to their latest large project, the Seniors Recreation Centre. They went back through old books and records and found it an interesting experience, recalling how they worked to get skating rinks going, pedal pusher's programs, and many other volunteer projects, in addition to the traditional study and handicraft programs pursued by the WI.

Arrangements were made to work with students at St. Albert High, through teacher Dan Chugg, which was handier for the members and

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Carnival will make fun, not profit

The St. Albert Winter Carnival Committee does not intend the carnival to be a profit-making venture, but an event to bring townspeople out of the woodwork in the middle of winter, said Don Merrell, chairman. Ho-

wever, he said, some local service clubs will be operating concessions to aid their community projects. Every service club and district in town is showing community spirit by giving the carnival full support, said Tom Flynn,

president of the Lions Break-fest Club.

The Kinsmen, Kiwanis Club, Progress Club, Nordic Ski Club, St. Bernard Dog Fanciers Club, Figure Skating Club, Parks and Recreation Department and Lions Clubs of St. Albert have been planning carnival events since September by meeting every two weeks. The carnival starts February 13 at 7 p.m., with a torchlight parade led by Lieutenant-Governor Ralph Steinhauer, MLA Ernie Jamison, Honorable MP Marcel Lambert, Reeve Bill Flynn and Mayor Dick Plain will be in the parade and attend a giant bonfire on the north side of Sturgeon River. A fireworks display during the bonfire is being considered.

The torches are being made and sold by St. Albert 5th Scout Troop at a moderate cost. It is anticipated the parade will have more floats than last year and the carnival's host, Town Council, plan to have an ice palace on the terraced lawn by Town Hall. It has already put in three poles for floodlights parallel to the bank of Sturgeon River, west of the Perron Street bridge.

Following the parade and bonfire, a bash sponsored by the Lions Breakfast Club and Progress Club will be open to one and all at Club Mocombo. Danny Boisvert's band, the Starlites, will be playing country and western, popular music ... everything people like, said Mr. Flynn.

Jeanne Kathol and John Kennedy of St. Albert High School are going to speak with Paul Kane High School's student executive and organize skating to music around a bonfire at night for students. They will discuss plans to have boys from each school compete in an afternoon hockey game, while the girls and teachers play broomball. A basketball game between girls and boys in the evening would be the deciding factor on the total points scored by each school. Bill Zielinski, superintendent of public schools, will be co-ordinating activities for selecting a carnival queen from the three junior and two senior high schools.

An extensive program of events is planned for Saturday, including a hockey tournament, cross-country

skiing competition, and a performance by the Figure Skating Club. The media will play "shmockey" with Grey Cup Champions, the Edmonton Eskimos. Dog sled racing will take place on the Sturgeon River from a starting point near the Perron Street bridge. The St. Bernard Dog Fanciers Club will have its dogs pull children and senior citizens in sleds on the river.

John Clements, a club official, is arranging a weight-pulling contest for about 15 dogs. The Guinness Book of Records says a 170-pound Alaskan St. Bernard has pulled 6,000 pounds of lead weight, but a 45-pound huskie can pull 800 pounds, Mr. Clements said. "The dogs will be pulling up to 2,500 pounds of concrete blocks 10 feet," he said, "and the number of pounds a dog pulls will be weighed in proportion to its own weight, time and the distance the blocks are pulled."

Skidoo races sponsored by the Northern Alberta Snowmobile Association and the Lions Breakfast Club are being planned for the weekend by the Ardrossan Snowmobile Club. At least 100 entries are expected to compete for the prize money. The races are not open for the public to participate, and admission will be given to

spectators in cars only.

A five or six-man parachute team, the Skyhawks from CFB Namao are planning a drop on Saturday and Sunday and will demonstrate how to re-pack a parachute.

They will be carried into the air again by a helicopter and dropped with the re-packed parachutes. Family skating will be encouraged Sunday and the dog sleds be available again.

If you haven't a garden-no problem

If you live in an apartment, likely you wish you had a garden you could cultivate.

You can however overcome this problem quite easily by bringing the garden into your apartment in the form of a "terrarium."

A terrarium, simply, is a rather horrid Latin word for a clear glass container of living plants. It could vary in size from a jar to a greenhouse. It can be open or closed.

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The more closed the container the more humid the environment.

To make a terrarium, line the container with moss to enhance its appearance and

help maintain the humidity. Put half to one inch pebbles in the bottom for drainage and fill the lower quarter of the container with a good potting soil.

Make suitable depressions for the roots of your plants with a blunt instrument, put them into the container and firm the soil down well.

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Glory of God stressed by Dr. Hay

Rev. Dr. David William Hay said someone once defined a moderator as "something to regulate the flow of hot air." Since he is the elected moderator of the 101st General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, Presbyterians at their Braeside Church could not help but chuckle Monday night. In a more serious tone, he impressed on the people that we shouldn't talk about ourselves during a religious service, but recognize and feel the glory of God.

"Every church believes in the glory of God," Dr. Hay said, "but too many of our hymns, for example, don't acknowledge that God's greatness, perfection and excellence surpass everything that's made."

"Man's chief end is to glorify God. Man isn't really himself until he is filled with the radiance of God."

During the "Hallelujah" chorus, one feels the glory of God, Dr. Hay said. And 100 years ago, when a strain of puritanism predominated

Presbyterianism he said, it wouldn't allow us to show the Cross, banners or stained glass windows in our churches. Not until 1850, were Presbyterians first allowed to use musical instruments rather than a tuning fork for hymns.

"But our church and service has developed today into more lovely and enjoyable worship with the emphasis on the majesty of God. We draw together to bring out this magnificent emphasis and have a sublime sense of

life lived out of the glory of God." Which is one reason why Dr. Hay says Presbyterians are cultivating friendly relationships with other denominations.

Dr. Hay is in Edmonton to record the CBC Meeting Place program from the city's First Presbyterian Church. It will be televised Sunday, December 28. Following the program and visits to Edmonton area Presbyterians, Dr. Hay will continue travelling across the land. Christians all belong to one great family, he said.



Rev. Dr. David William Hay, left, moderator of the 101st General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, Rev. Noel Gordon, of Braeside Presbyterian Church, are with Kathleen Telfer and Alan Blissette. Young people represent Joseph and Mary in a nativity scene every Sunday of the Presbyterian Advent.

Little girl looked after

Mr. and Mrs. Don McAfee, of Fairfax Crescent in St. Albert, have recently "spiritually adopted" a little girl through the Foster Parents Mission Club, 9800 Oakland Avenue, Detroit, Michigan, an organization dedicated to aiding destitute Asian children.

She is 11 year old Joanna who is being cared for at a mission orphanage in Toun-goo, Burma.

Joanna's mother died from a snake bite when the child was only two years old. Her father, who himself had been raised at the Toungoo orphanage, became very despondent and was unable to properly care for his little girl. He brought Joanna to the nuns and asked that she be taken in at the orphanage. She has been there ever since; and it is through the

help of Mr. and Mrs. McAfee that she is being fed and clothed and will receive at least a basic education.

Foster Parents donate \$6 a month towards their child's support, plus \$5 per year to help defray office expenses in Detroit. This makes for an annual total of \$77.00 -- or less than 22¢ per day! The adoption support is purposely kept at the barest minimum so that a greater number of needy children might receive some aid. (All donations are tax-deductible) Although Mr. and Mrs. McAfee will probably never get to meet their adopted daughter, they can write to her if they wish and the children are told there is someone far away who loves them. They repay their Foster Parents in the only way possible to them -- by

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FRI. & SAT., DEC. 12 & 13 - Beta Sigma Phi are having a Christmas Wrapping Booth on the Grandin Mall.

TUESDAY, DEC. 16 - 8 - 12 year olds welcome at Library to make Christmas decorations.

TUESDAY, DEC. 16 - Comets at home to Edmonton Bruins.

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 17 - Simpson School Christmas Concert.

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AROUND TOWN

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The Knights of Columbus, St. Albert Council, began curling in Morinville on December 3. The Knights have rented the 9:15 Wednesday evening draw time for the curling season.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Poitras of St. Vital Avenue left this week for Jamaica where they will be spending a month visiting a sister of Mr. Poitras.

Gifts Galore! The Sturgeon General Hospital Auxiliary will have two tables of gift items at the December 14th Flea Market at the St. Albert Community Hall. The items for sale include macrame, handicrafts, plants, crochet, tricycles, bicycles and home baking. Profits from the sale of these items are used to purchase equipment for the hospital.

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Council compliments town growth brief

Council received a brief from the community growth and identity study group

which gives input into the St. Albert general plan. Chairman of the study

group Mrs. F. Lefebvre was congratulated on behalf of the group's study which goes into great depth on every

aspect of the future development of the town. Mrs. Lefebvre referred to the brief's overwhelming

scope and said that the group had laboured knowing that their observations could be redundant before they were presented.

The brief looks at types of industry and commerce, also employment which might be suitable for St. Albert in the future, how its town centre should be developed and what housing type is suitable. The brief also points out that there should be more multiple family and condominium development in St. Albert. On transportation and safety, the group urges that a definite conclusion be reached on the metropolitan ring road; also that within residential neighbourhoods, four lane arterial development should be prohibited.

Mrs. Lefebvre said there was concern among the group when parents expressed how so many children dart across town roads.

On education the brief points out that St. Albert needs permanent facilities for day and evening classes. The number of young people having to leave the town for their further education would be reduced, if such facilities came.

The brief says that the "Green Belt" should be

maintained.

The brief explained that St. Albert council could help maintain the identity of the town by encouraging the local historical society in its documentation of the past. Pageants and festivals about the town's past should be encouraged.

The brief suggests that St. Albert should decentralize many provincial government services such as welfare, alcohol and drug abuse and family counselling. This would help the town maintain its independence.

The brief states that St. Albert needs more social and cultural and focal points. These could range from a formal recreation centre, theatre, arts and crafts centre, auditorium, museum or library.

The Sturgeon River Valley should be left as parkland, the brief points out and the river and surrounding area should be used for skating, picnicking, boating and fishing.

The brief recommends that St. Albert have a flag with a distinctive crest and that the town's name be spelled out full in official documents. Saint Albert and not St. Albert.

Council Briefs

Following are some of the highlights of the committee of the whole meeting of St. Albert council last Monday night. Councillor Barry Brackner took the chair. Mayor Dick Plain was present, and all other councillors.

COUNCIL RECOMMENDED that until a land use study has been completed St. Albert will not lease abandoned sewage lagoon sites for the growing of turf grass. Council had been approached by the Robert Gouin Foundation on this matter

and also decided that the whole matter will be referred to the Parks and Recreation Board.

Mayor Plain pointed out that there will have to be input from a number of provincial government departments as to how the land will be used. It would probably take two years before the lagoons were finally dried out pointed out Councillor Margaret Smith.

COUNCIL MOVED the payment of \$170 to the Peeewe Soccer Team follow-

ing a grant request in that amount; payment of \$2,000 was also moved following a request for that amount from the St. Albert Minor Football Association.

AFTER TOWN STAFF have clarified differentials between rates for financing and developing condominiums and rental units in St. Albert, they will pass on their findings to the developer Preston Construction Ltd. That firm has been granted a development permit for 67 suites on part of

Lot A, Block 6, Plan 4708RS. A letter from the firm had earlier pointed out that financing for condominium apartments may be more readily available than for rental units.

THE SOCIAL SERVICES BOARD may get some form of out of pocket expenses back from St. Albert if a recommendation to that effect from Councillor Myrna Fyfe is followed through by town staff.

Local travel agency booming

Smiling broadly, the president of St. Albert's one and only travel agency said: "I go by the golden rule - 'he who has the gold rules'." But Pat Helten's gold hasn't come from St. Albert business. The five year old agency on Perron Street has to depend on return clientele which it has built up chiefly in Edmonton.

Short of driving through town streets with a loud-speaker blaring what the agency has to offer, or advertising on billboards, Mr. Helten says everything has been tried to attract St. Albert people to it. Helten Travel is far from bankrupt, however. Another office opened on the south-side of Edmonton in June, 1974 to help handle the agency's 500 company accounts.

The clientele appreciates the agency's 24-hour service and free ticket delivery. Mr. Helten's biggest complaint is the public thinks there is a charge for his service. In reality, there isn't. Passengers pay the same price as they would dealing directly

with an airline.

Winter is the season the agency is busiest. Unless travel plans are arranged before October, it has a tough time finding accommodation, and people are put on a waiting list. "Hawaii is the favourite vacation spot for Western Canadians," Mr. Helten said. "Disneyland is next and the third most popular trip is to relatives... overseas, in the States or Eastern Canada."

The best dollar value is a vacation cruise, says Mr. Helten. One program offers a free airline ticket to Vancouver for a cruise down the west coast. Total cost for a 14-day trip to Hawaii for two people is \$2,000 doorstop to doorstop. A 14-day cruise down the west coast costs \$2,400 per couple and includes transportation, free room service, all meals, entertainment, midnight buffets. On-shore cigarettes are available at duty-free prices.

About two years ago, average price for a single person to Hawaii for two weeks was \$389. It has jumped about \$100 a year since and now costs an average \$589. The increase hasn't discouraged people from planning vacations on the island. But its expensive compared to a three-week vacation in Northern Africa with everything for \$1,100, or a \$1,074 package deal to Tahiti with deep-sea fishing.

Business has not always been prosperous for Helten Travel. The president said the agency used to have 85 per cent of its business with

oil-related businesses. But the government's freeze of \$4 to \$7 per barrel last year caused oil drillers to leave for the States and much of the agency's commercial business left with them.

Helten Travel was the first agency to have a travel group leave Western Canada for Tahiti. It also features six-day wilderness expeditions to Headless Valley in the North West Territories.



Pat Helten, president and travel consultant of Helten Travel, is answering yet another call to confirm a reservation for a winter vacation trip.

Town Clerk named

The town administrator advises that the position of Town Clerk which has been vacant for more than a year, has been filled with the appointment of Ms. Jean Mackie effective January 5, 1976. Ms. Mackie has 11 years of experience in the position of a municipal secretary-treasurer and comes highly recommended.

Her duties will include those of being secretary to Council responsible for agendas of meetings, minutes and general correspondence, as well as acting as secretary to the Development Appeal Board, returning officer and being responsible for bylaw enforcement. Ms. Mackie will take up residence with her family on Glenhaven Crescent.

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Ice and snow wreak havoc on roads

Hazardous road conditions were to blame in a collision on Highway 2, December 2nd.

The collision took place at the intersection between the St. Albert Trail and St. Anne Street at 7:25 p.m.

RCMP said that the accident occurred when a car

driven by Tobias Olsen, 54, of 13025 St. Albert Trail was unable to stop at a red light owing to the slippery road conditions. He was travelling south at the time of the incident and his car hit an eastbound car driven by Mark Twarek, 17, of 7 Grandin Place. Mr. Twarek

was proceeding east on a green light.

About \$3,000 worth of damage was sustained by the two vehicles. No charges have been laid, say RCMP.

Bad road conditions and stormy weather forced the closure of Highway 2 north, December 4. The road closure was called by the District Engineer with the closure being regulated one and a half hours by local RCMP. No traffic was allowed north during the closure, though there was a trickle of traffic coming from the north, RCMP said.

In a number of brief items, RCMP said they were keeping a close watch on the Grandin Shopping Mall during the approach to Christmas for shoppers.

Local RCMP are giving moral support to school patrol children who man intersections near schools. RCMP are receiving complaints that motorists are disregarding the patrols when waved down to allow school children to cross the road.

RCMP said that there is a rash of complaints from all over St. Albert that thieves are picking off Christmas light decorations from town residences.

FROM VANCOUVER TO DAIRY QUEEN

Police holding a suspect following a break-in 8:15 a.m., December 9 at the St. Albert Dairy Queen say that

the suspect had just returned from Vancouver to St. Albert the previous day. The suspect has since been charged with the break-in.

Entry to the building was gained when the front door window was smashed giving the culprit access to the lock. RCMP say that nothing was stolen during the break-in, though it seems that the premises were given a thorough looking over by the culprit.

RCMP also say that it seems the culprit helped himself to a sandwich and left the stove burner on after making the sandwich. The suspect was picked up about three hours after the break-in by RCMP.

SCHOOL BUSES OVERDUE

The bad weather December 4th caused a number of school buses in the area to be overdue.

RCMP report that one bus, bus #10 of the Sturgeon School Division, driven by Alex Montpeller was overdue two hours on a trip to the Sturgeon Heights School with 25 children aboard. The St. Albert Highway Patrol followed the route of the vehicle and it was located later after having suffered mechanical trouble. A grader was brought to the scene and the bus was towed out and started. The kids got to school apparently none the worse for their experience. Temperatures were well below zero Fahrenheit when the bus was delayed.

Community league makes donation

The St. Albert and District Community League last Tuesday night at the Community Hall presented the St. Albert Kinsmen Minor Hockey program with a \$200.00 donation.

The League also has sponsored one mite team and one bantam team for the last four years.

Another cheque for \$200 was presented to the Peewee BB team who will travel to Quebec to represent St. Albert in a hockey tournament.

Also the St. Albert Sport-sport Barons received a \$200 donation for their upcoming travels.

A further donation of 25 chairs and three tables was made to the Kinsmen RCMP Centennial Building.

The Community League also owns and operates a public parking lot in the downtown area where free parking is provided for the public, and open 24 hours a day.

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Things to see and do

Following is a list of things to see and do during the Christmas and winter season at the Provincial Museum of Alberta.

Two Alberta nature artists, Peter Karsten and Charles Lacy are featured in an exhibit which shows how the same kind of mammals and birds are differently treated December 5 to January 30.

December 12 to February 15 there is a feature exhibit highlighting the many enjoyable winter activities available in Alberta.

A major exhibition on northern Indians closes January 4th.

Also, a new permanent exhibition in the provincial archives shows the varied collections from newspapers, private and government papers to tape recordings from Alberta pioneers.

In more detail, December 11th is activity day with craft demonstrations and activities on a Christmas theme from 9:30 - 3 p.m.

December 13 there is a film shown at 2 p.m. Films are: "Sounds of Silence," "Edge of the Barrens," "Figure Skating" with a children's Christmas program, popcorn decorations from 1 - 4 p.m.

December 14 there is a craft demonstration of Apple Dolls 1:30 - 4:30 p.m. Special Christmas program - German Trinity Lutheran Church Band, 2 p.m. Italian Choir of the Alpini, 2:30 p.m., Lat-

vian group, 3 p.m. Croatian Folklore group, 3:30 p.m., British Film Classics "Wuthering Heights," 4:30 and 7:30 p.m.

Dec. 20 - 2 p.m. movies, "Story of Christmas," "A Christmas Fantasy" "Winter Comes to the Forest," "Snow," "Glaciation."

Dec. 21 - Wooden Toys, a craft demonstration 1:30 - 4:30 p.m. Special Christmas program 2 p.m., Stage Door Variety program. Ukrainian Bandurist Ensemble 3 p.m. Maennerchor Liederknaz - 3:30 p.m. *British Film Classic, Oliver Twist 4:30 and 7:30 p.m.

Dec. 27 - Films 2 p.m. "Alberta Land of the Chinook," "Flight in White," "Happiness Is," "Blades and Brass," "Snowshoeing" "King of Blades."

Dec. 28 - Cartail Dolls and Baskets; a crafts demonstration 1:30 - 4:30 p.m. Cultural Heritage performance 3 p.m. Phoenix Mixed Choir, German Music and Singing, British Film Classics 4:30 and 7:30 p.m. "A Tale of Two Cities."

Dec. 29 Films 2 p.m. "Soliloquy of A River," "Snow," "The Mountains." Dec. 30 2 p.m. "Where Timber Wolves Call," "Wildlife in the Rockies," "Winter Comes to the Forest."

Jan. 1 - Films 2 p.m. "Ski the Outer Limits," "Moe-bius Flip." 4 p.m. Other winter sports films.

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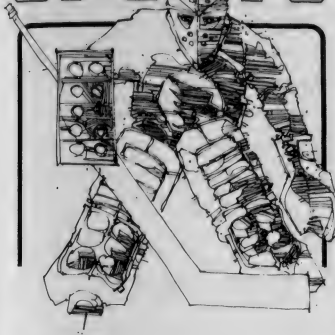
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7:30 West & Youville, transfer at bus stn for East & Lacombe Park
8:30 West & Lacombe Park, transfer at Bus Stn for East and Youville
The R2 leaving Westmount at 8:54, 9:24, 9:24, 10:24 and 11:24 connects at 118 Ave/Great with St. Albert Transit (6 to 13 min. wait)

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SPORTS



Generals split weekend games ending winning streak

St. Albert Standard Generals split their pair of weekend games in Central Alberta Junior action, winning 8-3 over St. Paul Canadiens Saturday night and then losing a close 5-4 game to Edson Arrows Sunday.

The loss to the Arrows snapped a six game General winning streak and left Edson undefeated in 17 games.

Many of the 250 fans remarked that it was by far the best game played in St. Albert this season, with spectacular goaltending, end to end rushes and super body checks.

Generals opened the scoring early in the first period when the team's leading goal scorer, Garry Ferguson, ba-

ckhanded a low shot in with only 36 seconds gone. Kieser and Hoffart drew assists on the goal.



GARRY FERGUSON

Denis Gagne with his first goal of the season put St.

Albert ahead 2-0 at the 6:14 mark with a shot from the blueline that the Edson goalie, Bruce Brown misjudged.

Generals held most of the play in the period as it appeared the Arrows were tired from their bus trip.

It didn't take long for the Arrows to get back in the game as they came up with two goals early in the second period to tie the game. Don Spring scored on General's goalie, Ralph Chambers, from a bad angle at 2:24 and Bob Mills was left wide open in front of Chambers and beat him with a high shot at 4:43. Both goals were the result of some sloppy defensive play by the Generals defensemen.

Hard working Claude Regimbald tipped in a screen shot from close-in to give Generals a 3-2 edge at 15:19 of the second only to see the Arrows capitalize on a bad clearing pass as Bruce Mullen beat Chambers from close-in to tie the game 3-3.

Edson took the lead for the first time in the game with only 51 seconds gone in the third period. Chambers came out of his net to clear a loose puck and got bodychecked, and before he could get back, Mitch Donkin scored in an open net.

Generals scored a disputed goal at the five minute mark but the goal judge felt the whistle had blown before the puck went in. It was disallowed much to the displeasure of the Generals.

St. Albert refused to give up and Roger Meunier scored from the faceoff after taking a perfect pass from Pat Frewer at 6:32. It was the prettiest goal of the game, and tied the score 4-4.

Arrows scored the final goal of the game with less than five minutes to play

when Donkin was allowed to walk right in and beat Chambers with a shot high in the net.

Edson held off the Generals in the final minutes of play to win 5-4 and remain undefeated.

Generals were outshot 44-33 and took six of 16 penalties handed out by referee Ron Panchyshyn.

Panchyshyn and his linesmen, Vance Billey and Bernie Munawich said following the game that it was the best hockey they had seen all year.

HAT TRICK SPARKS WIN

Saturday night Garry Ferguson scored three goals to pace the Generals to a 8-3 win over St. Paul Canadiens. Frewer added a pair with Regimbald, Kieser and Ballentine adding singles.

Generals next home game will be this Thursday, December 11th when they will host Vermilion Tigers who recorded an early 8-0 win over the Generals in the third game of the season.

This weekend Generals will be in Grande Centre for games Saturday and Sunday.

RESULTS AFTER 11 GAMES

	G	A	P
Terry Kieser	5	14	19
Garry Ferguson	13	5	18
Pat Frewer	7	9	16
Barry Medori	4	8	12
Roger Meunier	5	4	9
Claude Regimbald	4	5	9
Chris Hoffart	5	3	8
Denis Gagne	1	5	6
Matt Lister	3	2	5
Scott Ballentine	2	3	5
Murray McLaren	0	7	7
Dave Grice	1	2	3
Lloyd Olson	1	2	3
Ian Langridge	1	3	4
Steve Foreman	2	0	2
Ralph Chambers	0	1	1
Dave Kieser	0	2	2
Jim Hole	0	0	0

Comets upset twice in overtime play

St. Albert Comets coach Dale Ripple hopes his club does not have to play any more overtime games this season.

In the space of only five days Fort Saskatchewan Huskies scored two overtime wins over the Comets to remain in first place in the Edmonton Central Hockey League.

In both games Comets were leading midway through the final period only to have the Huskies tie the game and win in overtime.

Tuesday, December 2nd Comets took a 2-1 lead after the opening period of play on goals by Brian Stevens and Perry Pearn. Huskies scored the only goal of the second period to even the score at

2-2 going into the final 20 minutes of action.

Comets took the lead midway through the third period on Bob Beaulieu's goal and appeared to have things in control.

Huskies, Glen Austring scored with 1:28 left to play to send the game into sudden death overtime.

With only three minutes played in overtime, Comets Rich Perrault went off for high sticking and the Huskies took advantage and scored on the powerplay to win 4-3.

On Friday Comets scored a easy 6-3 win over C.F.B. Neaulieu on goals by Bob Beaulieu, Wally Monson, Brian Stevens, Perry Pearn, Blaine Georgy and Paul St.

Cyr.

Sunday in St. Albert, Comets fell behind 2-0 early in the second period on goals by Jim Van Camp and Jim MacLean. Rookie Earl Evaniew and Bob Foote scored midway through the period to tie the game.

Perry Pearn put Comets ahead 3-2 at 7:29 of the third, only to see Brian Hebert score at 11:05 to tie the game and send it into overtime.

Comets Harvey Kirkland went off for hooking at 3:35 of overtime and watched the Huskies Gerry Hornby score the winner at 4:55.

Comets next league action will be at home next Tuesday, December 16 against the Edmonton Bruins.

Badminton cancellation

Sturgeon Valley Badminton Club wishes to announce that in addition to the announcement in this paper last week regarding the fact that there will be no badminton during the period December 15, 1975 through

January 5, 1976, the club has just been advised by Parks and Recreation that Vital Grandin School will not be available for badminton on Thursday, December 11, 1975, either.

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Bruins win three of four games last week

St. Albert Junior Bruins have settled down and now have three wins in their last four starts.

Last Tuesday, November 25th, Bruins scored a close 6-5 win over Enoch with Jim McComb and Ron Merkle scoring two each. Dennis Sanche and Bernie Bronson added the others.

Friday night Bruins travelled to Sherwood Park and scored three times in each period for an excellent 9-4 win. Defenseman Jeff Holden led the way with three goals while Jack Basterash and Bernie Bronson chipped in with a pair each. Tim O'Neill scored the other.

and Dennis Sanche scored for St. Albert.

COME-BACK IN LEDUC

On Tuesday, December 2nd, Bruins got back on the track and scored five goals in the third period for an excellent 7-6 come-from-behind win over Leduc Riggers.

Bruins fell behind 3-0 early in the first period before Tim O'Neill scored to end the period at 3-1.

Riggers took a 5-1 lead midway into the second

period before Bob Maisonneuve scored the Bruins second goal. Leduc scored the final goal of the period to take a 6-2 lead into the final 20 minutes of play.

Bruins refused to quit and went on a scoring rampage.

Ron Merkle made it 6-3 at 4:24 and Dennis Sanche popped one in at 12:54 to get the Bruins to within two to tie. Jack Basterash made it 6-5 at 13:06 and 30 seconds later Jim McComb scored to tie the game 6-6.

Bruins didn't stop there

and recorded an excellent comeback victory as Sanche scored the winner at 18:18.

Bruin coach, Ron Yanosik, has made a few player changes in the past few weeks and appears to have the team playing good aggressive hockey.

Bruins next home game won't be until Friday, December 19th when Stony Plain will be here.

On Friday, December 17th they will be in Stony Plain and Sunday, December 14th at Enoch.

RESULTS AFTER FIRST 12 GAMES

	G	A	P
Dennis Sanche	10	10	20
Jack Basterash	11	8	19
Jeff Holden	6	9	15

Tim O'Neill	5	4	9
Jim McComb	4	5	9
Bob Maisonneuve	1	8	9
Bernie Bronson	5	3	8
Ron Merkle	3	3	6
Rick Gaudy	2	2	4

CAPITAL JUNIOR HOCKEY LEAGUE STANDINGS AS OF DECEMBER 8

	P	W	L	T	Pt
Fort Saskatchewan	15	13	0	2	28
Stony Plain	15	8	3	4	20
Sherwood Park	14	7	7	0	14
Enoch	16	5	8	3	13
Leduc	16	6	9	1	13
St. Albert	12	5	7	0	10
Westlock	16	2	12	2	6

Goalie Dryden scores with local kids

LOSE TO FORT

Sunday in Fort Saskatchewan the hometown Braves remained undefeated in Capital Junior League play with a 7-3 win over the Bruins. Tim O'Neill, Jack Basterash

Minor hockey coaches like to put a kid in nets who can't skate, or the kid who stops most of the shots other players on his team fire at him, said Dave Dryden, Edmonton Oiler's goalie. In

an effort to have the town's minor hockey coaches appreciate a goaltender's value, as well as give their goalies some reminding advice, Dave held a clinic Thursday night at the Arena. About 50 kids and their coaches from pee-wee, bantam, midget, juvenile and junior leagues were at the goalie-coaching clinic.

"I don't want a coach to go back and expect the clinic make the kid on his team, such a good goaltender that they're going to win all the time," Dave said. "But go



Oiler goalie Dave Dryden was all smiles as he was presented with a Certificate of Appreciation by Kinsmen Director Gary McDermid. It's a good thing Gary took up the electrician trade instead of guarding the nets.

over and practice goaltending skills with him I've talked about, until it seems something worthwhile has been accomplished.

"Not many coaches ever played as goaltender during their own hockey days," he said. "So they tend to concentrate more on the team's defence, especially if a coach used to play defence himself."

Dave is positive kids who play goalie know more about goaltending than the coach ever will, and would love to have them put on the pads to appreciate how it feels to be one. He welcomed the chance to demonstrate the skills of goaltending to St. Albert kids. When he was a kid, he said, there never was much of a relationship between pros and the people.

"Goaltending breaks down into the number of patterned moves performed by the goalie during a game, and the positions certain plays require him to stand in," Dave said. "Even in pee-wee hockey a goalie has to know how to deal with the super deker and the kid with the vicious slapshot."

As long as hockey clinics are organized and there is a good turnout, Dave says he doesn't mind attending one. "But I feel like a 'shook,'" he said, "if there aren't enough pucks, for example,

and I have to wait until more are found. St. Albert's hockey people were polite. I was also pleased to see a number of fathers and mothers watching the clinic."

Jeff Armstrong decided to invite Dave after seeing him at a coaches' clinic two months ago in Red Deer. He spoke to Doug Milne of Edmonton's Parks and Recreation Department, and Dave was asked to St. Albert. "He was more than willing to put in time voluntarily for the clinic," Jeff said.

WINTER TERM REGISTRATION

Registration for winter term classes of ST. ALBERT GYMNASTICS CLUB: Parks and Recreation office in Town Hall (please use West entrance), Dec. 10 - 19; 1:00 - 4:30 p.m. Boys and girls age 6 and up accepted; recreational gymnastics - \$12.00; Competitive \$20.00.



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Hard - fought win puts Barons in first place

Two goals and two assists by seasoned veteran Don Wells sparked St. Albert's Sportshop Barons to a hard-fought 6-5 victory over Stettler on Sunday.

The win kept St. Albert's undefeated league record intact, with the Barons having picked up six wins and a tie in seven games. The win in Stettler gives the Barons sole possession of first place in the North Central Midget Hockey League.

The Barons now meet Ponoka in St. Albert 7:30 p.m. Friday, then travel to Camrose for a 4:15 game Sunday.

Wells, playing his solidest game of the year, picked up St. Albert's first and third goals, and assisted on goals by Gilbert Longpre and

Graham Brown. Ron Sander and Rick Kreway scored the other Barons goals, with goaltender Glen McRae assisting on Kreway's short-handed goal -- the eventual game winner.

The Barons continued to score with their potent powerplay, with four of the six goals coming while Stettler was a man short in the game that saw 26 penalties.

The Barons have scored 13 powerplay goals in their last three games -- six in their 7-0 win over Ponoka, three in their 5-1 win over Wetaskiwin, and four more Sunday.

The Barons struck first in Stettler when Wells broke in with Ron Sanders on one lone Stettler defenceman just past the midway point of the first period.

Wells faked a pass and when the defender dropped off to cover Sander, the St. Albert forward slid the puck along the ice past the surprised Stettler goaltender.

After Falkenberg tied the game 1-1 at 17:30 of the first period when both teams were playing four aside, Longpre blasted a low drive from the point through a maze of players for St. Albert's second goal with just 10 seconds remaining in the period.

Stettler again tied it up five minutes into the second but just 63 seconds later Wells again broke in on a two-on-one situation with Rick Kreway while the Barons were playing with the man advantage, and picked the top right hand corner

from 15 feet out.

Ron Sander banged home a rebound from Murray Riddell to up the margin to 4-2 at 12:31 of the middle frame, and then the Barons got two more in the final three minutes. The Barons again had the man advantage.

St. Albert's fourth straight powerplay goal was scored when Graham Brown deflected a pass from 10 feet in front, setting the stage for Kreway's shorthanded goal just two minutes later.

With Stettler pressing, goaltender Glen McRae stopped a long drive, played it ahead to Longpre who relayed it to Kreway. Kreway outskated both Stettler defencemen to break in all alone.

COACH EJECTED

St. Albert coach Doug McConachie was ejected from the game at the 18 minute mark of the second period when he warned a Stettler player about butt-ending.

The player that incensed McConachie deliberately butt-ended a St. Albert forward while the play was stopped and the referee was giving St. Albert a minor.

In the third period the Barons went into a protective shell, and it almost backfired.

Stettler scored three times in the first 14 minutes, but then goaltender Glen McRae shut the door the rest of the way, to preserve St. Albert's win.

COMPLAINT LODGED

Following the game McConachie lodged a complaint with Governor Bill Steen of the North Central Midget Hockey League over the conduct of the referee.

The referee, just six minutes into the game, directed a few choice words at the St. Albert bench that many observers in the stands heard, and then near the end of the game, when questioned by Captain Gilbert Longpre about a penalty, he again made similar remarks. The remarks would undoubtedly earn a player a severe suspension if they were made to a referee.

Off the ice the Barons are continuing to work towards financing their 10-day Easter trip to Ontario and Quebec, and are knocking doors throughout St. Albert selling Alberta Heritage Books. In addition, the St. Albert and District Community League presented the Barons with a \$200 cheque last week, which was gratefully received, and will be used to assist the Barons on the trip to Montreal, Quebec City, Sherbrooke and Ottawa from March 26 to April 5.

Generals upset Scorpions

Standard General Juniors travelled to Calahoo last Friday night for an exhibition game with the Scorpions and came away with a crowd pleasing 5-3 win.

Jay McGeough opened the scoring for Calahoo at the 2:44 mark of the first period. Terry Kieser tied the game for the Generals at 4:15 and Garry Ferguson gave St. Albert a 2-1 lead at 9:25.

Dave (Crocker) Quintal tied the game for Calahoo early in the second period. Generals then exploded for three unanswered goals in six minutes to take a 5-2 lead. Claude Regimbald, Barry Medori and Dave Grice scored the St. Albert goals.

Calahoo got the only goal of the final period with Gary Atchison scoring.

Generals are continuing on the lookout for young talent and would be most

happy to play a number of the teams in the Sturgeon Valley League. Any teams interested are asked to phone John Ewen (coach) at 459-4263.

STURGEON VALLEY HOCKEY LEAGUE

After three weeks of play in the seven team Sturgeon Valley Senior Hockey League, Morinville holds down first place with eight points, one more than Bon Accord.

The following standings include all games as of December 8th except the Gibbons-Namoo game of December 5th.

	P	W	L	T	P	G	F	G	A
Morinville	6	3	1	2	8	34	32		
Bon Accord	4	3	0	1	7	21	14		
Namoo	4	2	2	0	4	18	11		
Villeneuve	3	1	1	1	3	10	9		
Gibbons	4	1	2	1	3	13	15		
Calahoo	2	0	1	1	1	6	15		
Legal	3	0	3	0	0	13	19		



Edmonton Oiler start Dave Dryden poses with some of the Kinsmen Minor Hockey Association goalies during a goaltending clinic held last Thursday in St. Albert. All 50 goalies attending the free clinic were very impressed with the expert knowledge passed along by Mr. Dryden.

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Park hands Balers first taste of defeat

Rickey Gray started the New Holland Balers off with

the first goal against Sherwood Park played here Saturday with an unassisted

tally at the four minute mark. However it wasn't to be the Baler's day.

The Sherwood Park Load Stars came back strong with two quick goals. With five

seconds left in the first period Odinga came through on a pass from Myck to end the frame with a 2-2 tie.

In the second period Hammett scored St. Albert's third goal, assisted by Sander. But with one minute left the Park came through with the tying marker.

The Park went ahead at the three-minute mark of the third period and it took the Balers 10 minutes to even up the score, when Laplante scored assisted by Hammett. The Load Stars retaliated with two more goals, winning the game by a 6-4 margin, and handing the Balers their first defeat.

DIFFERENT STORY

It was a different team and a different story in Leduc on

Sunday. The Balers whopped Leduc 14-4, scoring two goals in the first period, eight in the second and four in the third, to completely outclass Leduc for the second time.

Hammett and Kelly led the way, both coming in with hat tricks. Myck, Laplante and Gray came up with two apiece while Holliday and Odinga collected singles. Three assists each went to Hunt, Clark and Myck while Kelly, Laplante and Odinga picked two each and Poulin, White, McKeage and Holliday each had one assist.

Next action for the Balers is Saturday, December 13 when they are at home to Fort Saskatchewan. Game time is 11:45. On the 14th they meet Sherwood Park #2 in the shell at 7 p.m.

Gymnastics Club elects new officers

At a recent general meeting of the St. Albert Gymnastics Club, a new executive committee took over from the officers which have successfully run the club for the last two years. President for the coming year is Jerry Manegre;

Shirley Martin will serve as vice-president; B. Lacey as secretary; and Don Stanners as treasurer. Chairmen of committees are Ted Langford (membership); Don Larsen (spotting); Kirsti Marshall (program); Lilo Engler (equipment); Carol Otto

(publicity); Penny Stanners (special projects); Darrell Harvey (phoning); and Kathryn Kusmanuk (member-at-large).

The club is able to announce registration procedure for the winter term of classes, commencing January 12, which will be held at the Lorne Akins School. Parents may register and pay fees for boys and girls, from age six up, at the Parks and

Recreation Office in the Town Hall (please use West entrance) from 1 to 4:30 p.m., December 10 to 19.

The fee for recreational gymnastics is \$12 for the 12-week session; and for competitive gymnastics, \$20. New students will be tested at the first class for consideration for competitive status. Further information may be obtained by phoning 458-0780.

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One of the few serious moments during a basketball game last Wednesday between the Houston Nationals and Lorne Akins Junior High teachers. After the game ended 52 to 43 for the Nationals, who had students laughing continuously at their comic antics, Grade 7 physical education teacher Roger Scott said he wasn't prepared to go teach the school's basketball team.

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ST. ALBERT RECREATION REPORT



NORDIC SKI CLUB

Hey! It's happened! The white stuff is here! In celebrating, the "FABS" will be hosting the first club outing this Sunday, Dec. 14, meeting at Sir Alexander Mackenzie school (SAM), 61 Sir Winston Churchill Ave., at 1 p.m. It is hoped to have the track set in time and the general area to be covered will be Northeastern St. Albert. Refreshments will be available. Further information can be obtained from Dominique Willet (458-2587). Name tags will be distributed to members at the starting point and applications will also be taken from anybody wishing to become a member of the club. The membership secretary is Gus Visman (459-5484). Apologies to the "Grandin Gliders" for referring to them in previous reports as the "Grandins."

Members interested in informal skiing on Saturdays are advised to contact their regional group. The co-ordinators are: Dominique Willet, 458-2587 (Fabs); Doreen Patterson, 459-8578 (Grandin Gliders) and Nick Cherkuka, 458-1875 (Bish-ops).

The first newsletter of the

season is in the final stages of preparation and will be mailed to all members by the middle of this month. Plans for a ski clinic are announced below.

CROSS-COUNTRY SKI CLINIC

The Nordic Ski Club will be hosting a Beginners Cross-Country Ski Clinic starting on Friday, Dec. 12 at SAM School and continuing through Sunday. Registration is at 7:30 on Friday and instruction begins on equipment, clothing and waxing. For the outdoor activity session please bring your own equipment and waxes. Times for the outdoor sessions on Saturday and Sunday will be as agreed by participants on Friday evening. The course is recommended for skiers 10 years of age and up. Cost is \$6 for members and \$7 for non-members. Memberships will be available at registration.

CHRISTMAS PUBLIC SKATING

Please note the advertisement in this week's Gazette on public skating times at the

St. Albert and District Arena.

OUTDOOR RINKS

The outdoor rinks are now open for social skating and recreational hockey at Grosvenor Park, Gatewood, Braeside, Mission and Salisbury districts. There is a hockey and social rink in each location with heated change facilities. The social rinks are open for public skating Monday - Friday, 4 to 9:30 p.m., Saturdays 10 a.m. - 9:30 p.m. and Sundays noon - 9:30 p.m.

The Sturgeon River between the bridges has also

been cleaned and lighted for recreational skating. Lights will be shut off at midnight.

GYMNASTICS CLUB

Registration for the winter term of classes sponsored by the St. Albert Gymnastics Club will be from Dec. 10 to 19, 1 - 4:30 p.m., in the Parks and Recreation office in the Town Hall. Please use the west entrance. Classes begin the week of Jan. 12, and fees are \$12 for recreational gymnastics and \$20 for competitive gymnastics. Boys and girls from age six and up are welcomed. For further

information phone 458-0780.

DOWNHILL SKING

A meeting will be held at Grandin Clubhouse regarding the possibility of further downhill skiing at resorts in the surrounding area. The meeting begins at 7:30 p.m. A representative from the "Winterheat" Ski Club will also be at the meeting to inform interested citizens of ski trips hosted by their Club.

SHINY HOCKEY

This program provides an opportunity for parents and children under six to participate in recreational hockey. There is no fee for the program but parent participation is encouraged. Two rinks have been set aside - Braeside hockey rink on Tuesdays from 6 - 7 and Grosvenor rink on Thursdays from 6 - 7.

Mr. Wilt Van Lersberg,

458-2821 has volunteered to co-ordinate Shiny Hockey for residents east of St. Albert Trail (Braeside, Salisbury, Akinsdale). Mr. Bob Carson, 459-4513 will co-ordinate Shiny Hockey for those living in the Grandin, Mission and Lacombe areas at Grosvenor rink.

FAMILY DOWNHILL SKIING

Families or students can ski on Tuesday, Dec. 16 at Lake Eden from 6:30 - 10 p.m. Bus leaves Grandin Shopping Centre (South entrance) at 5:30 p.m., and returns at 10:45 p.m. Please use entrance on Grandin Road. Cost is \$5 for children under 14 and \$5.50 for adults. Cost includes bus transportation to Lake Eden and low fee. NOTE you must register at the Town Hall Parks and Recreation office before 4:30 p.m. on December 15. Bus must be full so bring a friend.

Badminton tournament draws 87 entries

The annual St. Albert Badminton Club Invitational Tournament was held on December 5 and 6. Eighty-seven entries were received including 19 who came in from CFB Cold Lake. In all, participants came from seven different clubs. Fierce but friendly competition in all six events resulted in the following winners being declared: 'B' Men's Singles - Hilton Barnes of St. Albert. Consolation - Peter Skworoda. 'B' Men's Doubles - Miles Pratt and Allan Musto of St. Albert. Consolation - Dave Hamel and Harvey Welsh of Cold Lake.

'B' Ladies Doubles - Flo Hamel and Pat Higgins of Cold Lake. Consolation -

Doreen Golden and Sharon Marchand of St. Albert.

'B' Mixed Doubles - Dave and Flo Hamel of Cold Lake. Consolation - Cynthia and Bob Sage of St. Albert.

'C' Men's Singles - Werner Lowen of St. Albert. Consolation - Dave Lawrenson.

'C' Men's Doubles - Awang Ng and Kokhong Teow of the International Badminton Club. Consolation - Bill Mitchell and Cal Pinnell of Southgate.

Thanks goes to all those who helped make the tournament a success especially our friends from Cold Lake. Hope to see you all back next year.

Lady bowlers win Zone

The Norma Tally team in Grandin Bowl's Ladies Tuesday Morning League won the zone finals and will now go to Leithbridge for the Provincial Housewives bowling championships.

Junior team championship was held Sunday at Rosslyn Bowl and St. Albert's peewee boys and girls each came

in second, playing consistently well.

The girls team was comprised of Kerri Neilson, Georgina Lawrence, Lori Pennycook, Lisa Patrick and Brenda Vincent. Playing on the boys team were Drew Forman, Jeff Notten, Lea Pennycook, Stephen Schiese and Tim Chevier.

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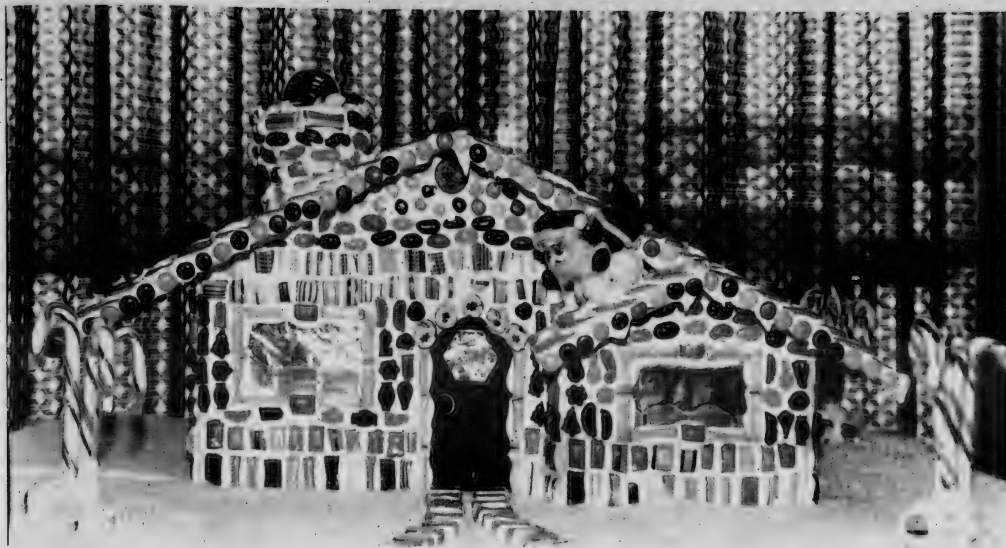
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Scenes from Simpson

By Cheryl Koshman

The volleyball season is over now, and our school teams have definitely proven their ability. In the final inter-school standings both our teams came in first, over Lorne Akins and V.J. Maloney. The girls won 18 of their 24 games, while the boys took 15 of the 24 games they played.

Very unusual volleyball was played at Simpson on Tuesday, December 2. Larry Highbaugh, of the Edmonton Eskimos, is also an avid volleyball and basketball player. So, at noon, he alone played our senior girls volleyball team. The rules were the same as in a normal game, except Highbaugh was allowed three successive hits on a side. This is the 18th team he has played, and won. This time the scores were 15-13, 15-7 and 15-9, in his favour.

GRAFFITI DAY

Our November 26 American Graffiti Day and Sockhop went very well. Ann Nelson and David Bentz won the albums for the best dancers. The records for the best "bobbysox" costumes went to Shelley Cooper and Ron Bauer. The Mystery DJ turned out to be Mr. Morrison, who did a good job of "flipping" the discs. The Students' Union realized a profit of \$174.

Curling is well on its way with a season of nine weeks so far. The school team consists of Brad Smith, Grace Peterson, Victor Peterson, Mike Carmichael,

and John Russell. They are entering a high school bonspiel this Saturday at the St. Albert Arena.

Class 7E (Mr. Ayre) has sold raffle tickets for seven football posters. The tickets were 10¢ each and over \$25 has been made. The funds will be used for classroom activities, and a worthy Christmas cause.

STRICTER GUN LAWS FAVOURED

The students in the option "This is the Law" took a school survey and found that 80.7% of the students sur-

veyed were in favour of stricter gun laws. Of the families surveyed, 85.7% would like to see stricter gun control laws.

This year's Christmas concert, entitled "Santa's Workshop" will be held in the Simpson Assembly Area on December 17 at 7:30. The senior (grade 8 and 9) Band, the Beginner bands, and the Grade 6 students are involved. The public is welcome to attend.

Finally, the last day of school this year will be December 23, when students will be dismissed at 1:45. Classes resume January 5.

Cruise overbooked, students take alternate trip

Surprised and dismayed, parents of 17 St. Albert High students due to leave on an educational cruise on December 5th, learned that the cruise had been overbooked. Instead, the children would be offered an alternate trip. This news was received at a special meeting convened on November 28th.

Mr. Brian Redsell, sales manager, Passenger Division of the P & O (Peninsula and Oriental) Steam Navigation Co., flew in from London, England to discuss the alternate tour. Mr. Redsell explained that it is company policy to overbook to allow for cancellations. Also, a school cruise ship had been

early-retired this year. The entire Alberta contingent and some British students have now been offered an in-depth tour of Greece. All additional costs of the alternate tour will be borne by P & O.

While in Greece, the party will stay at the Congo Palace, which is situated on the coast. The tour includes visits to Delphi, Mycenae, Corinth, Athens and the Acropolis. A visit to Rhodes, Crete and a tour around the Saronic Islands is also included.

The students leave on December 5th and return on December 21st.



"Hundreds of cars tooted and people waved at us from the Trail," said Cyril Desjarlais, owner of 25 quarter-horses at 156th Street and St. Albert Trail. He held reins while Sage, a quarter-horse mare, pulled him, his brother-in-law Lawrence Kozdrowski and Lawrence's son Kevin in an antique cutter last weekend.

Older citizens plan light tour

At the last whist party held on December 2, first prizes were won by Mr. Nap Belley and Mrs. Clara Morin with consolation prizes going to Mrs. Desrochers and Mr. R. Bergevin. Whist will be played again on Tuesday, December 16.

Friday, December 12 is the deadline for "registering"

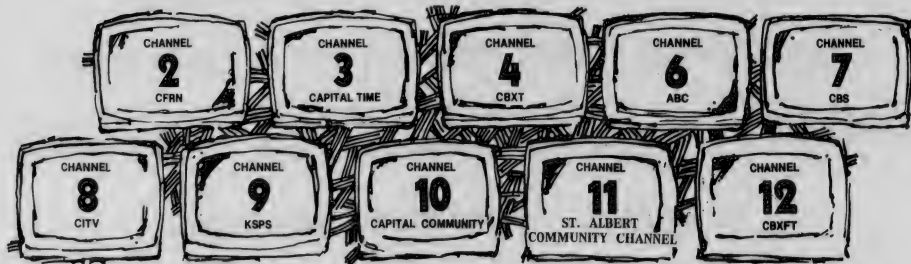
for the bus tour of the Edmonton Christmas illuminations which is being very kindly sponsored by the St. Albert Lions Club. The tour will take place on Wednesday, December 17, starting from the Recreation Centre at 6 p.m. Names, addresses and telephone numbers can be given in at the Centre

when it's open or can be telephoned to Mrs. Kemps at 459-7226, Mrs. Szuba at 459-8809, or telephone 459-6601, ext. 55.

Bowling continues on Thursdays from 9:30 - 11:30 a.m. The Centre is open afterwards and it's only a short walk or drive over there for a cup of coffee and a chat.



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MORINVILLE MEMOS

By Marg Bentz

George and Jeanne St. Laurent are pleased to announce the birth of their first born, Tracy Michelle weighing 5 lbs. 10 ozs. on December 2nd, 1975. Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Provencal of Westlock and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest St. Laurent of Edmonton.

The arena will be available for the kindergarten class every second Friday from 9 to 11 a.m. All children must have skates and mothers should attend to supervise their children. Parents will be notified the day previous.

The United Church Ladies Aid will be having their annual Christmas bazaar at 10 a.m., on Saturday, December 13th at the Super A.

Morinville Cubs and Scouts would like to thank everyone for their support during their recent bottle drive. The bottle drive was very successful and another one will take place on January 5th, 1976. Your support is needed and appreciated.

Welcome to Morinville, Mr. and Mrs. Etienne D'Heer and family who have recently moved to their new home from Jasper, Alberta.

Tickets will go on sale December 15 for the Legion New Year's Eve Frolic on a first come first serve basis. The frolic will commence at 8:30 p.m., on December 31, 1975 and end in the wee hours of January 1, 1976. Phone 939-4128 for information on tickets.

LEGION AUCTION

A miscellaneous auction sale will be held on December 19 at the Legion Hall in the evening. Members are requested to save and donate any reusable articles they no longer require towards this sale. Proceeds will go towards the renovations presently underway and help is required to complete renovations prior to New Year's Eve. Your support would be greatly appreciated. For further information contact Cam Dubois at 939-4108 or John Bulger at 939-4128.

Volunteers are required from Legion members to work in arena kitchen on December 13 from 12 to 10 p.m.

Plans are underway for the annual Christmas carolling to be held on December 21.

FOSTER PARENTS BANQUET

Sturgeon Foster Parents Christmas banquet will be held on Saturday, December 20 at 7 p.m., at the Morinville Legion Hall with music by the Oscar Belrose Band. Tickets are \$10 per couple and there are a few tickets still available. The Christmas party for children will be held the next day, December 21 at the Legion Hall from 2 to 5 p.m. Games, Christmas carols and a lunch are featured.

Plenty of openings are available for mixed curling on Tuesday nights. Contact Colleen Brisson at 939-4525.

Four young ladies of the Morinville Lions Figure Skating Club took tests at St. Albert on December 3. Cynthia Robinson passed American Waltz and Rocker; Jocelyn Blackburn passed For Trot; Carolyn Gochel passed Willow Waltz and Jacqueline Cormier passed Fiesta. Congratulations girls.

BONSPIEL PLANNED

Curling has begun in the new multi-purpose building in Morinville, next to the arena, sporting artificial ice on four sheets. The first draws began curling on Wednesday, December 3. This was the Knights of Columbus group from St. Albert who have rented the complete 9:15 draws on Wednesday evening for the duration of the season.

Regular curling started on Friday evening, December 5th with the mixed league followed by the men's league on Monday, December 8th.

An open cash bonspiel will be held on the 12th, 13th and 14th of December. The first 32 rinks will be accepted with entries to be phoned in to Colleen Brisson at 939-4525. The entrance fee for the bonspiel will be \$20 per rink.

It was nice to hear that the senior high school chartered a bus and 30 students motored to Rimby, where they cheered the Vanier Senior boys volleyball team in Provincial Finals. The boys won the first set of games, tied the second set but lost out in the last set. The boys should certainly be congratulated for doing so well and representing Morinville so ably.

NEW YEAR'S EVE

A New Year's Eve Frolic will be held at the Recreation Centre beginning with a candlelight smorgasbord at 8 p.m., followed by a dance at 10 p.m. (Music by "Cabarets"). Corsages will be given to the ladies and a midnight lunch will be served. Tickets are \$10 per person and available from Morinville Drug Store, Royal Bank and the Morinville Credit Union.

Christmas school concert will be held on Tuesday, December 16 at the Recreation Centre.

A figure skating meeting will be held on Monday, December 15 at 7 p.m., at the Calgary Power Office.

Coffee and doughnuts will be served to all those who drop in at the Royal Bank on December 18 and 19th from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., and on December 20 from 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. Lloyd Kachman and his staff are looking forward to your Christmas visit.

The Morinville Lions Figure Skating Club will be having registration for the ARSA program, on Saturday, December 13 at the arena, from 10 a.m. till noon. The new program will begin on January 17, 1976.

Reader's co-operation in telephoning or bringing in news items is much appreciated and as early in the week as possible. Please phone 939-4145 or stop in at 9901 - 99 Avenue.

RENDEZVOUS CHRISTMAS PARTY

By Dorothy Daigault
On December 5, in spite of the cold weather a good crowd gathered at the Rendez-Vous Clubhouse for our Christmas party. A group of girls from Miss Maureen O'Sullivan's class of dancing entertained us with different Scottish step dances and a group of girls from Mor-

inville sang carols and Christmas songs accompanied on the guitar by Miss Charlene Rousseau.

We all enjoyed these gay young entertainers and hope they will come again sometime.

Wine and cheese was served and then we played whist. The first prize winners were Mrs. Bridget Hittinger and Mr. Hector Boissonneault. Mrs. Gerard Rousseau and Lucien Beaupre won the booby prizes. Mrs. Perras won the door prize.

Then came the long awaited moment for the draw on the afghan and hampers. Guy Ouellette won the

afghan, Mr. Henri Lamoureux won the first hamper and Mr. Lloyd Granger won the second hamper.

On behalf of all the senior citizens we wish to thank all who helped to make this raffle a success.

Lunch was then served. Many thanks go out to all those who contributed to the delicious lunch and good coffee. Hurrah for the men, they washed the dishes and cleared off the tables!

Board of Trade is again sponsoring the "Light Up For Christmas" contest. Two categories - commercial and residential - will be judged

by Board of Trade members. First prize \$20., 2nd - \$10. Judging to take place from December 19th to 21st.

Morinville and district residents are asked for their co-operation with this year's Christmas issue which will be published early. All news and advertising for the December 24 edition must be telephoned or brought to your correspondent no later than Friday noon, December 19th. Your news received later than Friday noon will NOT be able to be printed in the Gazette until the 31st Wednesday in January, January 7th.

Morinville attends conference of Foster Parents

Main speaker at the 2nd Alberta Foster Parent Conference held in Edmonton was Miss Mary Rustrieff from the University of Wisconsin, who has been a social worker in the state for many years. She spoke on teenagers of our day.

Mrs. Potter, president of the Foster Parent Association also addressed the meeting, and spoke about all the smaller associations, such as the one in Morinville, and mention that she was proud of the Morinville group, which will receive a Government grant to assist with their program of educating parents. The grant will also assist the Association's aim of helping with other groups to better the community.

Miss Rustrieff emphasized that foster parents should show teen-agers that they are loved and trusted, and let them know that they can do well. Therefore the best is expected from them.

She also said that there are times that any teen-ager will test you out to see what you will say or do about different things. Unexpectedly they will ask you questions about married life or sex. These questions should be talked over when you are doing dishes or getting supper. If the teen-ager being a girl, you could talk to her while you're cutting out a pattern for a dress. If it's a boy, you could talk to him when you are getting the garbage ready to be emptied.

Sometimes they will tell you that they don't believe in God. She said not to force him to go to church but say, "I am surprised you can get along without God because I can't and I'm not going to try." More often than not, he can't either.

If a boy or girl comes home, tips over the garbage can, and kicks it halfway down the driveway it would not help to ground him for a week or to go without supper. The thing to do is to take him firmly by the shoulder and say to get out there and pick that stuff up and don't try it again. Tell him that around your house you don't put up with things like that.

She indicated parents should show teen-agers that they know they are having a hard time and are doing everything to help them. We expect them to show us that

they appreciate by staying out of trouble as best they can. But if they do get into trouble, it's not the end of the world. Pick up the pieces and wipe the slate clean and try all over. Again, trying not to make the same mistakes.

In the afternoon she gave a lecture on separation dealing first with Shock, the affect of which is shallow, and if normal it takes the form of

soberness or false happiness.

She elaborated on other situations faced by teenagers needing foster home care, such as despair, depression, adolescence, a general state of apathy, restless activity and a lack of direction. Detachment from the family home affects the teen-agers hope, sense of mastery and causes him to consider the new relation-

ship, while thought of the last relationship continues. Examples described a boy who had been removed from his parents into a new home, and an older woman who had lost her husband.

Members of the Morinville Association who attended were Linda Pitko, Mrs. Rockwell, Social Worker Mr. Rowatki and home finder, Mrs. Jean Dersche.

Morinville upsets Gibbons in rough game Sunday

By Marg Bentz

Morinville hockey seniors demonstrated to Gibbons that "crime does not pay" as they came from behind to upset Gibbons 5-3 in a penalty shootout contest at Gibbons, Sunday, December 7.

7. Morinville received only six of the game's 24 penalties enroute to their victory.

Carl Royan got the seniors first goal on assists from Jack MacAskill and Wayne Miller. Richard Wright got a pair in the second period to tie the game. Captain O'Neil Chevalier and team-mate Terry Masik set up Rick Pugliese for the winner late in the second, while Dex Dersch got the insurance marker early in the third, assisted by O'Neil Chevalier.

Seniors got a single point from Tuesday nights game, December 2 with Calahoo in the Morinville Arena (4-4). Next Tuesday, December 16 at 8 p.m., the Morinville Seniors play the RCMP subdivision in an exhibition contest at home.

MINOR HOCKEY

Shavers A beat Redwater 3-1, Saturday, Dec. 6. Goals were made by Jeff Enright, Jeff White and Kevin Paul. Shavers B lost to Redwater on the same day.

Mite A lost 6-1 on Sunday, Dec. 7 to Fort Saskatchewan.

Pewee B beat St. Albert Braeside 2-0, Dec. 6. Goals were by Andy Morin and Kenny Chalifoux with a shutout going to Denis Morin.

Midget B lost 5-0 to St. Albert Belmont Broncos on Saturday, Dec. 6.

The game which was scheduled on Friday, December 12, for the juveniles against Athabasca, has been cancelled. The boys will play on Saturday, Dec. 13, at 9:30

p.m., versus Fort McMurray. The juveniles also play on Sunday, Dec. 14, at 2:30 p.m., against another Fort McMurray team.

Minor Hockey every Saturday from noon on. Coaches please phone in game results 939-4145 or drop game sheets off at 9901 - 99 Avenue.

OLDTIMERS

Morinville Goodtimers

Morinville Library News

The last time I wrote about new books in the library it was mostly Adult Fiction, this time we will start at the young end. For the "very young" the ever popular Brian Wildsmith's "Lazy Bear" is a delight, I just love that bear. Then John Burningham's "The School" a story without words. Then a lovely, lovely book "Miss Suzy's Birthday" by Miriam Young about a loveable squirrel and her four adopted little squirrels. "The Mystery of the missing red mitten" by Steven Kostelny is another beautiful book for the lucky "very young."

Going up the scale there is a fast and scary tale, for boys maybe? "The Ghost on Saturday Night" by Sid Fleishman, about a tall, mean-looking stranger uglier than homemade soap - An old book just reprinted "The Minnow on the Say" by Phillipa Pearce is a lovely story for the "middle youngs". "The Minnow" is a row boat. "The Gallant gray trotter" by John Foster is a horseboy book. "The Slave of the Haida" by Doris Anderson is a West Coast Indian story, very exciting. Then a beautiful book by

Chief Dan George "My Heart Sings". An exciting tale for the "older young" about logging camps and riding the rails - "Run Far, Run Fast" by Walt Morey.

For the older there are some interesting new biographies. For those who enjoyed Shirley MacLaine's "Don't Fall off the Mountain" her new one "You can get there from here" seems just as interesting. "The Spice of Life" by Sir Harold Mitchell. Why a biography of Sir Harold? Well he has a lot to do with Alberta Once he owned Mountain Park and Lusscar coal mines and in 1971 he was given an honorary degree by the University of Alberta. He writes an interesting yarn. "The Siren Years", the undiplomatic diary of a Canadian diplomat Mr. Charles Ritchie. Just two other mentions "Eureka" by Edward De Bon almost an encyclopedia of how and when the most important inventions were made, and filling a long overdue need "A Concise History of Canadian Painting" by Denis Reid. Adult fiction there is plenty but that must wait till next time.

Namao pioneer passes at 102 years

By Norma Crozier

Mrs. Clementine Caroline Ferguson, one of the oldest of Edmonton's pioneer women passed away in hospital after a short illness on November 22, 1975 at the age of 102 years.

Born at Meaford, Ontario, August 22, 1873, she came west to Alberta in 1884 with her older sister, Susan Margaret Craig to join their father, David Craig and brother, William at Calgary which was then the end of

steel. The two small girls travelled west in the care of Mr. and Mrs. Hutton on a settler's train. From Calgary the family travelled by covered wagon north to the Namao district where Mr. Craig had chosen his home-

stead the previous year.

In 1894 in Edmonton, Clementine married John James Ferguson of Sarnia, Ontario, a pioneer minister of that era. Rev. Dr. D. G. McQueen performed the marriage ceremony. They

homesteaded in the Namao district where they raised a family of two boys and three girls. Remaining on the farm until 1946, Mrs. Ferguson retired to the city to spend her remaining years in leisure. Maintaining good health all her life she remained in her own home until three weeks before her death.

Mrs. Ferguson was predeceased by her husband in 1930 and daughter Lola Mac Muse in 1954. She leaves to

mourn her loss two sons, Frank Morris of New Westminster, B.C., and Cecil Alvin of Edmonton; two daughters, Mrs. Hazel Harold of Athabasca, Alberta and Mrs. Gunnar (Stella Margaret) Bergstrand of Heffley Creek, B.C., 10 grandchildren and 15 great grandchildren.

Funeral services were held on December 2, with Rev. Dr. Stanley Scott officiating. Interment was in the Namao Cemetery.

MFC women hold Christmas meeting

By Sharon Rempel

The Legal MFC held their monthly meeting on December 1st at the Club 60 Roses, opening with a Christmas hymn. As the ladies entered they were presented with a Christmas corsage. A large Christmas candle and a poster "Put Christ Back in Christmas" centered the front table

getting everyone in the festive spirit. Secretary-treasurer Laurette Pelletier read the minutes of the last meeting and presented the financial report.

Father Bissonnette read the gospel, followed by a discussion period.

The members agreed to purchase a large poster from the K of C to be posted in the

arena.

A sum of \$10 was voted to be given to the Welcome Wagon.

Natural flowers will be brought again to adorn the church for the festive season.

A thank you note from Cecile Coulombe thanked the MFC for the \$10 award towards the highest mark in grade 10 advance French last

year.

Last details on the coming chicken supper to be held on December 14 were given. The president made it clear that the supper is sponsored by the committee of the Christian Ladies (MFC) and the bingo by the Parish Council.

Ferne Van de Walle and Antoinette Larose are on the entertainment committee for the Chateau and they reported that the Christmas party for the senior citizens there, and the patients at the O'Meara Lodge would be on December 7.

Les Femmes Chretiennes extend to all, and especially the newcomers, a warm welcome to join the rest of the community on Dec. 24 for midnight mass.

Following the closing prayer the husbands joined the ladies for a Christmas party. Everyone enjoyed themselves playing cards and the delicious lunch served by Irene and Beatrice Maurier.

On behalf of the MFC Merry Christmas and a Prosperous New Year. Joyeux Noel, Bonne Heures Annee.



Fire razed a single-storey farmhouse four miles west of Gibbons and claimed the life of Leonard Moschansky, 20, Thursday, November 27. He was pronounced dead-on-scene by Dr. A. Hardie, a Fort Saskatchewan coroner. His wife Dana, 19, was rushed to Edmonton's Royal Alexandra Hospital. She is reported to be in satisfactory condition from burns and smoke inhalation. The Moschanskys were married last March. Mrs. Moschansky phoned the Gibbons Volunteer Fire Department about 5 a.m., from a neighbour's place and one of the six firefighters who answered the call on a joint line was a brother-in-law.

Horse Hill news

By Peggy Wenzel

A skating rink building bee has been arranged for Saturday, December 13th

with the intention of completing the regulation-size rink at the school grounds. Please bring your own hammer.

Coffee and lunch will be served.

This is to be a one day affair to finish the rink and help is urgently needed to be able to get the rink finished with one last push.

On Monday, December 22, the Community League meeting will take the form of a Christmas social evening with wine and cheese. The League invites all members and residents of the district to come and meet with them that evening.

Meeting time is 8 p.m., and the Horse Hill School, with social to follow. All people of the area will be warmly welcomed so plan now to attend.

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The reason for the hearing is: that the zoning and building Bylaw No. 1/72, as amended, be replaced by the Zoning Bylaw #10/75.

The proposed bylaw may be examined between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., at the Office of the Municipal Secretary of the Town of Morinville.

The public hearing will be held in the Council Chambers of the Town of Morinville on the 30th day of December, 1975 at 8:00 p.m. Written objections to the proposed bylaw will be received by the Municipal Secretary at the Town office till 4:30 p.m., on the 29th day of December, 1975. Objections shall be submitted in writing prior to the meeting. Those written objections which have been received before the designated time will be discussed at the meeting before further presentation will be recognized.

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Golden Wedding in Morinville

On Sunday, November 16, 1975 the family of Mr. and Mrs. Armand Chalifoux of Morinville gathered to celebrate the golden wedding anniversary of their parents.

The five sons, their wives and families were present: Arthur of Morinville, Louis of Edmonton, Norman and Henry of Morinville and Paul of St. Albert. In attendance were also 24 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. The only absentees were Anita McPherson (Louis's daughter, on a world-tour) and Paul's youngest baby Robert. Also present were brothers and sisters of the honoured couple: Lionel Chalifoux of Falher, Alice Nadeau of Morinville, Delia Prefontaine and Agnes Vezina of Edmonton. Likewise, some brothers and sisters-in-law were in attendance: namely Justina Chalifoux of Beaumont, Fleur-Ange Iseke of St. Albert, Maria Rousseau of Morinville and Joseph Bougie of Legal.

The celebration started with a Jubilee Mass at the St.

Jean-Baptiste Roman Catholic Church in Morinville at 5 p.m., with Rev. G. H. Primeau officiating. Norman presided at the organ while Henry and Jeannine sang appropriate solos for the occasion. Lectors were Arthur and Louis.

After church, the family gathered at the Recreation Centre, where son Paul took over as master of ceremonies. The eldest son Arthur, read the Jubilee Address and presented his parents with a souvenir album saluting their 50 years of married life. Denis, oldest grandson, presented a plaque on behalf of the grandchildren and daughter Pauline McPherson's delicate poem, "What is a Grandmother?", the oldest great-grandchild, Christopher, presented his great-grandmother with a bouquet of yellow roses. The evening continued with music and songs so typical of Chalifoux family house parties.

Armand Chalifoux was born in Ste. Rose Quebec the 13th of Mr. and Mrs. T.

Chalifoux's 18 children. The family came west in 1906 and settled in Beaumont, Alberta. After the older sons were settled in the Beaumont-Leduc area, the family moved once more, but this time much closer, that is to Morinville, in 1920. On November 17, 1925, Armand Chalifoux married the former Stella Boisvert of Legal. She was born in Hugo, Minnesota a suburb of Minneapolis-St. Paul and had come to Canada as a young child when her parents had also decided to pioneer the Canadian West.

Since their wedding 50 years ago, Armand and Stella have been involved in many business ventures namely: Chalifoux Store, Alberta Hotel, Alberta Government Telephones, to name a few. They were active community workers and avid supporters of their parish.

On the occasion of their golden wedding anniversary the community wishes them many more good years amongst us filled with good health and happiness. Congratulations Armand and Stella.



MR. & MRS. ARMAND CHALIFOUX
Photo by J. Khullar.

GIBBONS NEWS

By Karen Hogg

The Gibbons 4H Clothing Club is hosting a tea, bazaar and rummage sale to be held at the Gibbons Community Hall on December 13 from 2 to 5 p.m., everyone is welcome to attend.

Garry Barker's Rototilling Services would like to announce that anyone wanting driveways or sidewalks cleaned to give him a call at 923-2539 as his tractor is ready and running!

The Medical Clinic would like to remind everyone of their services. Office hours are Monday's, Wednesday's and Friday's from 11 a.m. until 3 p.m.

NEW YEAR'S EVE

Don't forget to get your New Year's Eve tickets. The tickets will go on sale December 10 and will be available from community centre members only. Tickets are \$20 a couple. Get your tickets now as there will be no tickets sold at the door.

The Village Office will be closed on December 24 and will be closed at 12 noon on December 31.

When you are called upon to buy chocolate covered almonds from the Minor Hockey Association please do so. There is a definite need to cover the costs of minor hockey.

Mrs. Doreen Blackall (nee Schauer) and Kelly are visiting Gibbons for the month of December and they came all the way from Australia. Any school chums of Doreen's can get a hold of her at Mr. and Mrs. Schauer's as she would love to see you.

LEGION ELECTS OFFICERS

The Gibbons Legion held their election of officers on December 1 and elected Earl Yeo as president. Other officers are Norm Riggert, vice-pres., Ernie Lemoire, sec., Ren Gibbons, treas., Clayton McWhirter, Sgt. of Arms; Rod McLean, hall representative; Jim Hogg, building chairman; Bud Gibbons, social convener; Jack Hogg and Bill Mabbutt, membership chairmen; Mel Maeser and Glen Mabbutt, sports and awards.

After the election of officers the men and ladies Legion Auxiliary held a Christmas party and exchanged gifts of not more than \$1.00. The men would like to thank the ladies for serving a lovely lunch. The ladies also presented the Legion with a cheque for \$500, towards the building fund. It was a very enjoyable evening for all.

Anyone interested in being a spare for the curling club which plays their games on Friday evenings in Redwater are asked to leave their names at the village office.

A notice to all firemen that the December meeting will be held on December 17.

Gibbons and district residents are asked for their co-operation with this year's Christmas issue which will be published early. All news and advertising for the December 24 edition must be telephoned or brought to your correspondent no later than Friday noon, December 19th. Your news received later than Friday noon will NOT be able to be printed in the Gazette until the 1st Wednesday in January, January 7th.

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Services held for beloved pioneer

By Liz McLeod
Calahoo and district are mourning the loss of another one of its early pioneers in the person of a very fine and wonderful lady, Mrs. Mary Kramps, beloved wife of Mr. Anthony Kramps, whose last address was Vimy, Alberta.

It was in the University Hospital in Edmonton that Mary passed away on Nov. 12, 1975 after a short illness at 93 years 11 months and 8 days of age.

Mary was born in Hungary on December 4, 1881, arriving in Canada with her parents in 1889 and coming into the district in 1892.

She met and married Anthony Kramps in April, 1907 and the couple farmed first in Riviere Qui Barre, whilst raising the 12 children they were blessed with. Her

husband predeceased her in 1928, but she carried on until they moved to Calahoo in 1935, where Mary lived with her sons until she retired in 1963.

Since then she's made her home with her daughter Theresa in Vimy, at least most of the time.

It was always a joy to visit with this gracious lady, who always put family and friends first with her remarkable attitude.

Mrs. Kramps was also predeceased by a son John in 1958; a daughter Elizabeth - Mrs. A. (Ole) Kruse in 1961 and a son Louis in 1968 and is survived by four sons: Lawrence in Morinville, Albert in Edmonton and their families, Francis and family and Henry of Calahoo.

Five daughters: Miss Isa-

belle Kramps, Edmonton; Mrs. G. (Theresa) Caouette; Vimy; Mrs. C. (Mary) Victor; Westlock; Mrs. A. (Rachel) Caouette and Mrs. O. (Rose) Victor both of Edmonton; besides 52 grandchildren, 104 great-grandchildren and two great-great grandchildren; one brother George Mueller of Onaway; three sisters, Mrs. Theresa Hassler, Portland, Oregon; Mrs. Josephine Keiser and Mrs. Annie Goodman of Edmonton.

Prayers were held on Thursday, November 13 at 8 p.m. in St. Catherine's Church, Calahoo.

Mass of Christian Burial was held on Friday, November 14th at 10:30 a.m. in St. Emmerence Church, Riviere

Qui Barre with the Rev. Hugh Roche C.S.Sp. officiating.

The choir for this dignified occasion were, Walter Victor and daughter Ava Marie, Mrs. F. Laurette Kramps and daughters Elaine and Charlotte all of Calahoo with choir leader and organist Mrs. H. Vera Soetaert.

The four hymns rendered were so fitting for this hour.

The pallbearers were grandsons, Leonard and Ernie Caouette, David and Albert Kramps, Melvin Kruse and Alfred Victor.

Interment took place in the church cemetery with Connelly-McKinley in charge of arrangements.



MARY KRAMPS

Bon Accord council report

An application by Mr. and Mrs. T. Marshall, new residents of the Springbrook subdivision to operate a Day Care Centre in their home, recently received the approval of council provided all Government regulations are met.

This proposed centre will accommodate 20 children between two years and school age, operating between the hours of 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday to Friday.

We would like to welcome Mr. and Mrs. Marshall to the village along with the following families who are also resident in Springbrook. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. V. Whidden, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Fehr, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Caron, Mr. and Mrs. M. Wilde, Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey Milligan, Mr. and Mrs. D. Chabot and Mr. and Mrs. D. James.

Cemetery Committee - Our thanks to Mr. Harry Mulligan who recently offered his services as rural representative on the Cemetery Committee.

Recreation - Mr. T. Mantyka, assistant superintendent, Regional Recreation, met with council to present details of the Sturgeon Regional Master Plan. Following the presentation, council moved to agree in principle to the concept of Regional Recreation as outlined in the Master Plan. Mr.

W. Carleton and Mr. Elmer Brennan, representing the local Rec. Board, also met with council to discuss several current items including - proposed sewer line from the arena, the possibility of hiring a recreation administrator and the hiring of Mr. Rick George, Village employee to work at the arena.

Mr. John Bassett-Smith, engineer, W. J. Franc and Associates, outlined land requirements for the new sewage disposal facility.

We have recently received several pictures taken at the opening of the new building.

from Pat Algie, public communications officer, Dept. of Municipal Affairs. These have been mounted on our Notice Board for the interest of residents.

Telephone trouble. The village has been working on

behalf of the whole area in efforts to obtain improved telephone service. It is hoped that the unreliable and intermittent service experienced over a five month period will be remedied in the near future.

NOTICE

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VIMY NEWS

By Darlene Provencal
Visitors at the home of Jim and Barb Henderson spent Barb's parents from Calgary, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Shephard.

Mrs. Lea Limoges left last Monday and returned home on Friday from a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Delemond, who live in Chauvin, Alberta.

Mrs. Bev. Limoges and daughter Tammy, took the bus to Calgary last week to visit with her folks. Mr. and Mrs. Batsch. Seems like the mail strike is prompting more visiting than writing!

Sincere condolences are being sent to the relatives of Mrs. Mary Kramps who passed away quite suddenly on November 12, 1975. She was the mother of Mrs. Theresa Caouette. Funeral services were held in Calahoo. On behalf of the Kramps family, Mrs. Theresa Caouette would like to thank friends and relatives for their expressions of sympathy on the recent loss of their Mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Zadunayski and family are very pleased to have Wilfred's brother, Bill, along with his wife, Theresa, and their two girls, Jo Anne and Carol, move from Ottawa to Edmonton on permanent residence in Edmonton.

Last week, Gloria Dubois

accompanied her husband George on a business trip to Fort Vermilion. While there they visited with a few of their nieces.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Reimbold spent three days visiting in Cochrane, Alberta. It was a special occasion because they were welcoming their newest grandchild, Gregory John, born on October 21st, weighing 7 lbs. Proud parents are Marianne and John Griffiths.

Bob and Vivian Bernard are also very pleased with their new arrival, Connis Leslie, born on November 20th, weighing 6 lbs. 5 ozs. A lovely little playmate for sister Christing. Congratulations to all.

Get well wishes are being sent to Mrs. Marie Louise Fortier who is presently undergoing an operation in the General Hospital.

The Vimy Utilities Co-op held their annual cabaret on Friday, November 21. Music was supplied by the Satellites and a lovely cold beef and ham lunch was served. A draw was also made during the evening as follows: a 26 oz. bottle of rye; one to Laurent Provencal, and one to Leon Oko; a box of chocolates; one each to Rita Provencal and Randy Bomersback. A big thank you to Mr. John Podmore, engineer on the Vimy Sewer Project, for donating these items.

Stan and Gail Sissons are about the only ones I know of in the area that actually had the chance to attend the Grey Cup in Calgary. I'm sure they were extra pleased too when the Edmonton Eskimos finally won the game.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Marchack recently sold their farm and have now retired in Westlock. Mr. and Mrs. Bryan are presently renting the place. Best wishes to both in their new homes.

Miss Celine Dubois and Miss Jocelyn Fortier were the two happy girls chosen from the Vimy Needles 4H Multi Club, to attend a

Communication Festival at Maskepetoon Camp on Pigson Lake. They spent three days there, entering in the public speaking and debates.

On Sunday, November 31, a pot luck supper was held at the Community Hall in Vimy with about 100 people attending. A Chinese Auction on cakes was held with winners as follows: Martha Riopel, her daughter Donna Riopel, Valerie Sabourin, her brother Greg Sabourin, Adele Sequin, and Clem Provencal. An electric coffee pot was also auctioned off with John Dusseault winning. The Parish Council wish to thank everyone who attended.

ended.

Jim and Barb Henderson spent a week visiting with their many friends in Grande Prairie, their old hometown. Roy, Merle, and Annette Cunningham spent several days in Valleyview visiting with Merle's two brothers and their families.

On November 22, Direct Distributor, Ron and Gladys Pearson, personally congratulated Leo and Lucille Ringuette on the performance of Amway distributorship, giving special recognition to the three thousand dollars outstanding achievement record, in just one year. Congratulations.

The community was very shocked and saddened to hear of the sudden and tragic

death of Mrs. Jenny Zadunayski on Dec. 3, 1975. She is survived by three sons, Ronald, Robert, Peter, and two daughters, Teresa and Janice, and three grandchildren, all of Vimy except Robert, who lives in Red Deer. She was the president of the CWL in Clyde and also did a lot of volunteer work for the church. She was well liked by all who knew her and she will be sadly missed. Prayers were held at the Park Memorial Chapel in Edmonton and a Mass of Christian Burial was held on Monday, December 8th at the Waugh Roman Catholic Church, Rev. R. Guerin officiating. Jenny was predeceased by her husband, John, in 1973. To the surviving family members, we offer our sincerest condolences.

Legal Locals

By Sharon Rempel

Now that the Village is in full swing in their hockey schedule, I would like to say how impressive the new addition to our arena looks. It is a great improvement and I'm sure everyone will be as pleased as I was.

Here is a schedule for the coming week for juveniles:

Friday, Dec. 12 - Lac La Biche vs Legal Voyageurs at 8 p.m.

Sunday, Dec. 14 - Athabasca vs Legal at 2 p.m.

On Sunday, Nov. 30 Legal won over Athabasca 12-4 and on Friday, Dec. 5 Legal won over Morinville 7-3.

A warm welcome is extended to the following new families that have recently moved into the village. Ken and Shirley Schwartz, along with their two children, Adam and Trent from Fidd-

monton. Ray and Laura Pollack from Winnipeg.

A reminder for the chicken supper December 14th at 5 p.m., sponsored by the Christian Ladies and Parish Bingo to follow. December 19 is the school Christmas concert. Keep these dates open and everyone is welcome.

Legal and district residents are asked for their co-operation with the year's Christmas issue which will be published early. All news and advertising for the December 24th edition must be telephoned or brought to your correspondent no later than Friday noon, December 19th. Your news received later than Friday noon will NOT be able to be printed in the Gazette until the 1st Wednesday in January, January 7th.

Camilla 4H Club news

By Kim Borle

Everyone has been working hard since the club reorganized this fall. Mrs. Grace Brenneis is our club leader and the executive was elected as follows: President Sheryl Soetaert; vice-president - Sandra Kinsella; secretary - Kim Mulligan; Treasurer - Mari Nakamura; Club Reporter - Kim Borle; Lunch Committee - Doris Boddez and Linda Soetaert; Recreation Committee - Diane Van Brabant and Sharon Bokenfor.

We're pleased to have Helen Borris, Cindy Brenneis and Georgette Van Brabant as junior leaders this year. They will be helping the adult unit leaders and

looking after public speaking.

All 38 members are busily trying to complete sewing, knitting or embroidery projects before Christmas so our meetings which are held the second and fourth Mondays of each month are a whirl of activity.

Money raising projects and a Christmas party will be discussed at the next meeting so bring your ideas as well as your sewing baskets. See you there!



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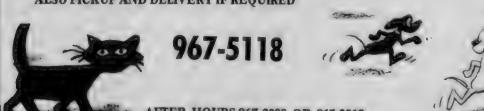
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Calahoo WI holds annual meeting

By Liz McLeod
Calahoo WI met November 25th in Mrs. Toni Christen's home with all members except Mrs. Aline Roddick present, and a newcomer to this district, Mrs. Elsie Smathers.

After repeating "The Cr-

eed" secretary Emma Dalheim read the minutes of the last meeting and then business arising out of the minutes was discussed.

With the Calahoo History project uppermost in mind, the WI would remind anyone who wishes to send in a memorial donation so as to

get their loved ones names into the Book of Memory, should do so at their earliest convenience, because with the mail moving again, materials will be sent to press.

Also anyone with their family history, please forward to Mrs. Mary Dalheim,

Onoway, Alta.

There are still names coming in at \$1 apiece for the Friendship Quilt and these monies go towards the History Fund.

Preparations were completed for the harvest dinner and dance and this function turned out very successfully.

A letter from the Stony Plain Legion asked the group if they would again take part in the Remembrance Day ceremonies, which of course we did with Mrs. Jack Dalheim laying the spray on our behalf.

Treasurer Mrs. K. Dalheim gave her report and the WI is still thinking of ways to make the money to pay for the publishing of the history book.

November being the annual meeting, it was time for the members to pay their dues and to hear the secretary's annual report.

Mrs. Vance Berry wanted to be relieved of the vice-presidency, and Mrs. Fred (Isabel) Wheatley accepted the position.

New directors were chosen and on the Horticulture committee, Cecile Berry, Emelia Schermund, Margaret Douglas, Mary Dalheim and Liz McLeod accepted.

The Christmas party will

be held December 21 with supper at 7 p.m., and Addie Thatcher and Alice Schermund in charge of arrangements.

Each member was asked to bring three prizes for the games and of course their gift to their secret pal.

Emelia Schermund asked if members would like to take on another catering job next summer, to which all agreed.

Doot prize was won by Mrs. W. Toni Christen - a telephone and address book.

An always happy lunch hour followed.

Goldenagers meet in Calahoo

By Liz McLeod
Close to 30 happy senior citizens gathered in the Gazebo for a heartwarming get-together on November 26.

Visiting and cards dominated the afternoon, with a short meeting where many items are discussed. The group is now incorporated and to build or not to build was the main topic.

Emelia Schermund and Liz McLeod arrived after visiting Mrs. Fred Labonte in the Misericordia Hospital and calling to surprising Fred with a birthday cake. Regretfully they missed seeing him but enjoyed a visit with his wife.

We were all happy to see Myles Kerr at the meeting and see him looking well after surgery in the Royal Alexandra Hospital.

John Thatcher is now in the Royal Alexandra hospital and the Goldenagers are pulling for his speedy recovery.

After the meeting a few hands of bingo were played with Laura Boddez doing the calling and Elsie Smathers, now a member, won the full house.

A pleasant lunch hour followed and all were looking forward to meeting for the Christmas party December 10th, with the West Sturgeon Ag. Society offering their

hall in the arena.

Visitors are always welcome.

BABIES IN THE NEWS

Douglas and Sheila Dillman (nee Walker) of Manning, Alberta, are receiving congratulations on the birth of their son, Cody Christopher, weighing 8 lbs. 12 1/2 ozs. and born in Peace River Hospital on October 15.

Proud maternal grandparents are Stanley and Kathleen Walker of Calahoo, and paternal grandmother is Mrs. Mary Dillman of Calgary. Cody is also fortunate to have a great grandmother in the person of Mrs. Alice MacNamara of Spruce Grove.

Wayne and Marlene Brenneis of Calahoo have a second daughter - Charmaine Mary, weighing 6 lbs. 5 ozs. and born in Sturgeon General Hospital on October 20th, a sister for Sherri Anne.

Maternal grandparents are Walter and Mary Victor of Calahoo; and paternal grandparents are Leo and Honey Brenneis of Morinville. Great grandparents maternally are, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Chimko and Mr. and Mrs. John Darda and great-grandmother Mrs. Pearl Karpyshyn, and paternally there's great grandmothers Mrs. Brenneis and Mrs. DeRudder. It isn't too

often that five generations exist. Congratulations folks!

Bernie and Sharon McKinnon of Quesnel, B.C., welcomed their first born, a daughter, Dawn Deanne, born in Quesnel Hospital on September 5, 1975 and weighing in at 7 lbs. 11 ozs. Pete and Liz McLeod are maternal grandparents and Dawn's paternal grandparents, Bill and Edie Moore, living 20 miles southeast of Quesnel at the Gravelle Ferry.

Calahoo Sports

Two goals by Doyle Flaherty paced Calahoo to a 4-1 mite exhibition win over Johnston's Meat Balls Wednesday in Calahoo. Dean

Macdonald and Craig Berube scored the other Calahoo goals while Kevin Lalaberte scored the lone St. Albert goal.

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FRIDAY, DEC. 19 - Residents of all hamlets, towns, villages and rural districts are asked to co-operate with their local correspondents by getting news items in no later than Friday noon on December 19 for inclusion in the Christmas issue. The paper will be distributed on Monday and Tuesday that week instead of Wednesday, the 24th.



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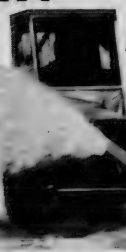
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Report From Bon Accord

By Sadie Allen

Christmas Cheer to Don Doney, winner of the Bon Accord Lions monthly draw. Another is now underway with tickets available from Dave Latta or Don Grant.

The bingo jackpot for December 14 is \$475.00 in 49 numbers. Winner of the consolation was Pat Rutland. The bonanza was won by Bert McEachern. For anyone who is not familiar with the routine of the Lions regular Sunday evening bingos -- price \$1.50 gets you two cards, extras are 25 cents each or five for a dollar. All cards are played for the jackpot. Bonanza cards are 25 cents with half the take going to the winner. Twenty-one games in all makes a pleasant evening and with a little bit of luck, a profitable one too, as regular games pay \$5 and a blackout \$10. Proceeds are used by the Lions for community projects -- right now a recreation centre for the senior citizens club.

The Golden Gems held a most successful bake sale on December 3 with a good turnout despite the weather. There has been a very good response to the offer to do Christmas baking.

SENIORS PARTY

The ACW Christmas party for senior citizens was well attended. A most sincere thank you to Marion Nich-

olson's School of Dancing, both Gibbons and Bon Accord groups, for their fine display of talent, and to the parents who came to see them properly costumed for each act, to Rita Allen and sister, Carol Murphy, for their Irish dancing and to the two fine young musicians, Lorna Carleton of Bon Accord on the piano and Andrew Herriot from Edmonton with his accordion. Solo dances were by Marnyk Twigg of Edmonton and Janet Bland. A very special thank you to Marion for her time and effort in putting it all together. Thanks to the Guides for the help in serving lunch.

On Monday, December 15, the draw for the Coleman Stove will be made. The raffle is being conducted by the Cubs and Scouts and tickets may be obtained from any member or leader. The third of the season Cub-Scout camp-out is slated for next weekend with a hay-ride and bean feed coming up on December 22.

NAME THE CARNIVAL

A reminder -- entries for the contest to "Name the Carnival" and a design for the carnival program may be turned in to Pauline Mansfield or the Bon Accord school office. The prize -- free entry for the entire family to the family dance to be held at carnival weekend, January 30, 31 and February

1st, 1976.

Entries for Variety Night - January 10, 1976 may be made to Lynda Bland, 921-2374 anytime.

Bon Accord Wildcats meet Legal at the Bon Accord Arena at 2 p.m., on Sunday, Dec. 14. A demonstration of the chuckwagon race slated for the carnival will also be held. If you are interested in entering the races, and an open invitation is extended to everyone, no age limit to enter. Sunday's the day to get pointers on the race. The Wildcats play at Calahoo on December 16 and entertain Gibbons at Bon Accord on December 19 at 8:15. Season's tickets are now available for the 12 home games going at \$12., (a saving of 56) for adults and \$9 for students and senior citizens. Tickets are available at the Arena or from Community Centre Board members.

The work in the arena is progressing famously with the bleachers all in and most of the inside work completed. A boon to the skaters is the inside-outside carpeting installed in the dressing rooms. There is a very spacious concession area featuring a brand new three-compartment sink, a double oven, four burner stove with grille and chipper. If you are not interested in hockey or skating, perhaps you'd like to come see the kitchen. Booth workers have a clear view of the ice area and no cold feet this year.

Playschool Tiny Tots would like those empty spoons you have around the house.

UCW PARTY

The UCW afternoon group had a very enjoyable time at the Christmas party held in the church on December 3.

Prior to the social afternoon a short business meeting was held with election of officers for the coming year as follows: Pres. - Karen Luchka, V.P. - Mrs. E. J. Chubb; Sec. - Ann Anderson and Treas. - Carol Wyness; Bazaar Comm. - Mrs. E. Neilson, Mrs. M. Arksey, Mrs. Ada MacDonald and Mrs. Vicki Straughan, Lunch Comm. - Patje Keown.

WHITE GIFT SERVICE

On Sunday, Dec. 14 at 7 p.m., a White Gift Service and the annual Christmas concert followed by a social evening will be held in the United Church. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Christmas service at the United Church at 9 a.m., on December 21 will be a family service with carol singing and readings involving the whole family.

The Bon Accord 4H Beef Club held their regular meeting at the school on December 1st with 26 members. The club are raffling a giant Hershey bar with tickets available from club members. A bottle drive is planned for the rural area on January 3. Tour Day is slated for January 24 at 10 a.m. The next meeting will be held at the school on January 5, 1976 at 7:30 p.m.

A reminder that a Christmas Eve service will be held at Holy Trinity Anglican Church at 7:30 p.m., on Wednesday, December 24. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Deadline for the Bon Accord Community Christmas card is December 15. Money may be left at the Village Superette.

HOCKEY TRIP

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The Bon Accord Art Class completed its 11th lesson on Wednesday, December 3 and are now taking a Christmas break. Classes will resume on Wednesday, January 14, 1976 at 7:30 p.m.

Bon Accord and district residents are asked for their co-operation with this year's Christmas issue which will be published early. All news and advertising for the December 24th edition must be telephoned or brought to your correspondent no later than Friday noon, December 19th. Your news received later than Friday noon will not be able to be printed in the Gazette until the 1st Wednesday in January, January 7th.

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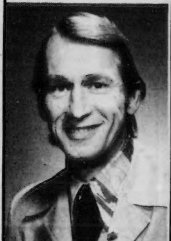
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The Edmonton Twin and Triplet Club will be holding their annual children's Christmas party on Sunday, December 14th from two to five p.m., at the Hazeldean Community Hall, 96 Street and 66 Avenue. Santa will be arriving with candies and goodies for all the children. A lot of fun is in store for everyone so we hope to see all the family there. Further information is available from Jeanne Manegre, Montclair Cres., St. Albert.

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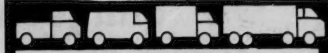
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Sturgeon Regional Recreation Report

Sturgeon Regional Recreation will be running swim lessons for pre-school children who are from two to six years of age. The class will be held on Saturday mornings, starting January 10, 1976, from 10 a.m. - 11 a.m. at Eastglen Pool. Parents will be responsible for transportation, and children who are from two to four years old must be accompanied by a parent in the water.

Lessons will be 1/2 hour long, and a total of 10 lessons will be offered for \$5 per child.

A bronze medallion class will be run at this time as well.

To register phone the Regional Recreation office at 939-4317. Registrations are limited, deadline is December 13, 1975.

Namao News

By Norma Crozier

Namao School and Community League will hold their New Year's Eve Frolic in the school gymnasium on Wednesday, December 31, 1975. Refreshments will be served from 8 p.m. - 1 a.m. Supper at 8 p.m. Dancing from 9:30 p.m. - 1:30 a.m. to the music of "The Spectrums." Tickets are \$10 per person and are available from Johnny's Store, Howard Samis Garage, T & D Storage, and Vera Huber at 973-3849.

Namao United Church White Gift Service will be part of the regular service on Sunday, December 14, gifts will go to Bissell Centre.

A Christmas program and family night will be held on Sunday, December 21 starting at 7 p.m. Everyone welcome.

NAMAO 4H BUTTONS AND BOWS

By Maria Huber

Our third general meeting was held November 25, 7:15 p.m., at Namao United Church. We discussed our Christmas party, Sunday, December 7, 2 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. at Lesli Fay's. Everyone will bring a 75 cent gift.

November 25 was also the night of our sewing demonstration. Susan Craig and Cheryl Paul came in first place by showing us how to make pink cushion what-nots Denise Powl placed second with her golden wreath. Honourable mention was given to Jennifer Clarke for her orange clove fresheners. All demonstrations were well done.

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Registrations for adult swimming are now being taken. Lessons will be on Monday nights from 8 p.m. - 9 p.m. at Eastglen Pool. Starting date to be announced. Beginners, juniors, intermediates and seniors will be offered. A bronze medal class is being held on

Saturday mornings from 9 a.m. - 11 a.m. for those who wish to advance their swimming. To register phone Sturgeon Regional Recreation at 939-4317. Registration fee is \$6 per person and transportation will be the responsibility of the individual.

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